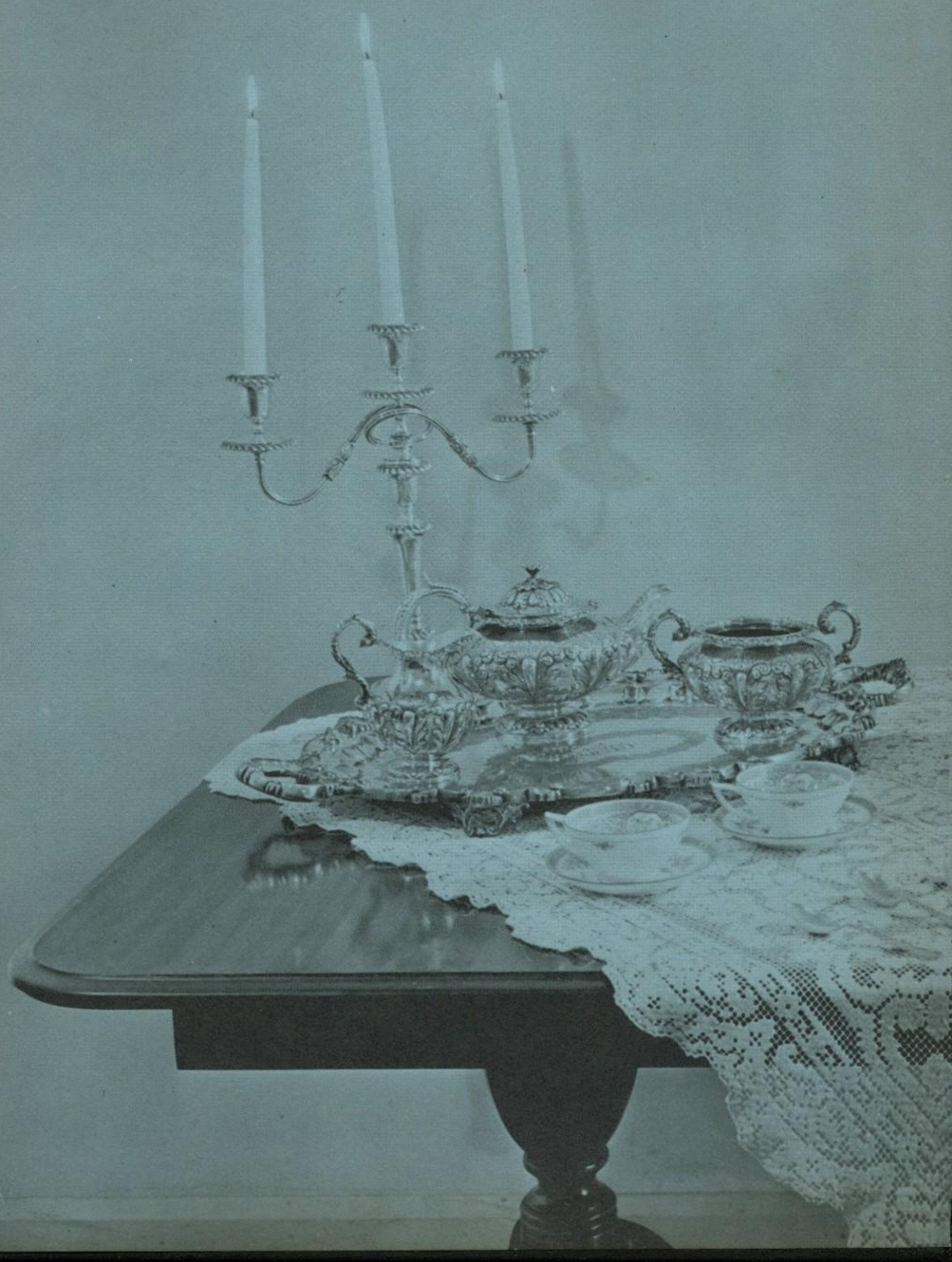


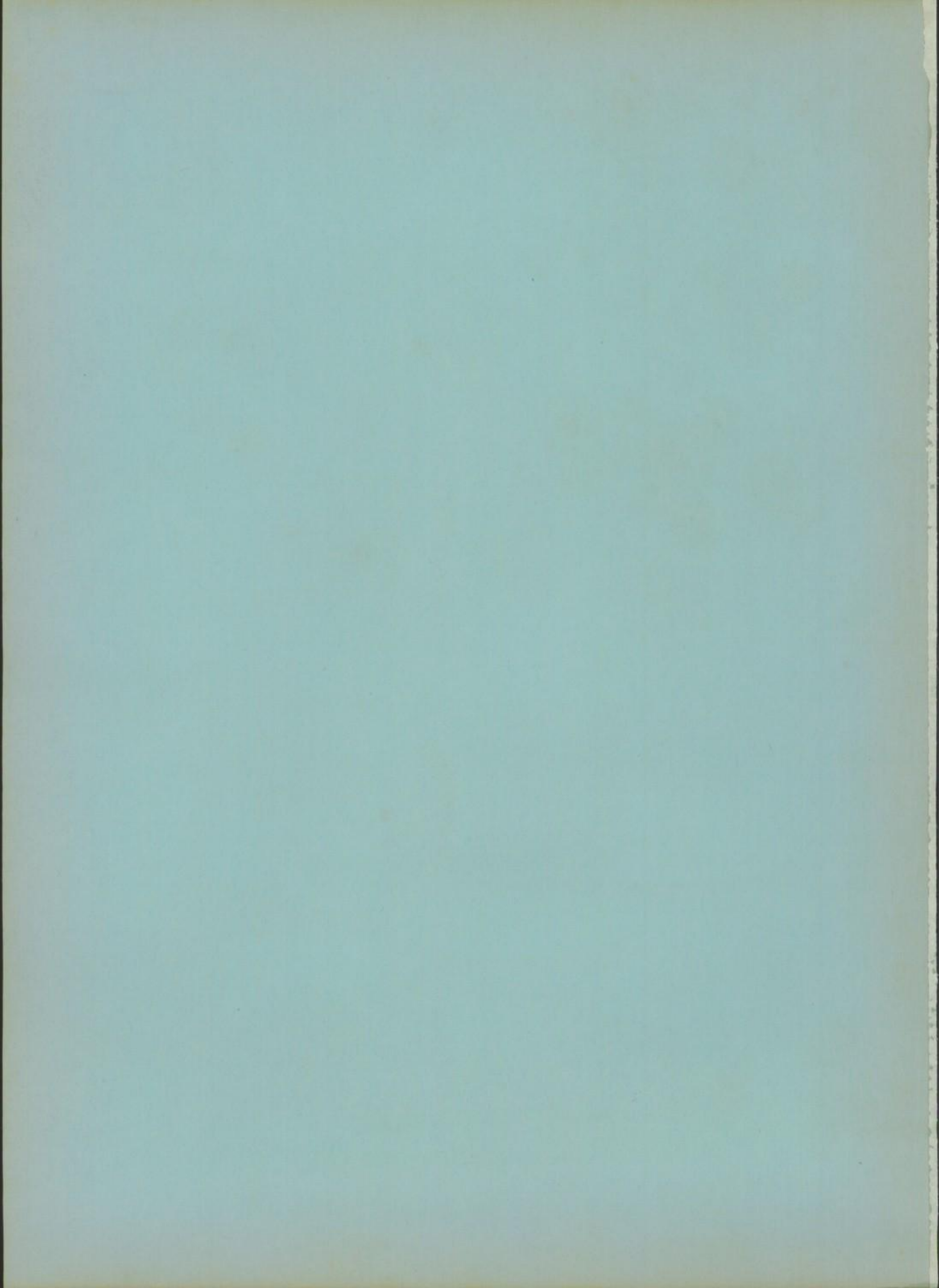
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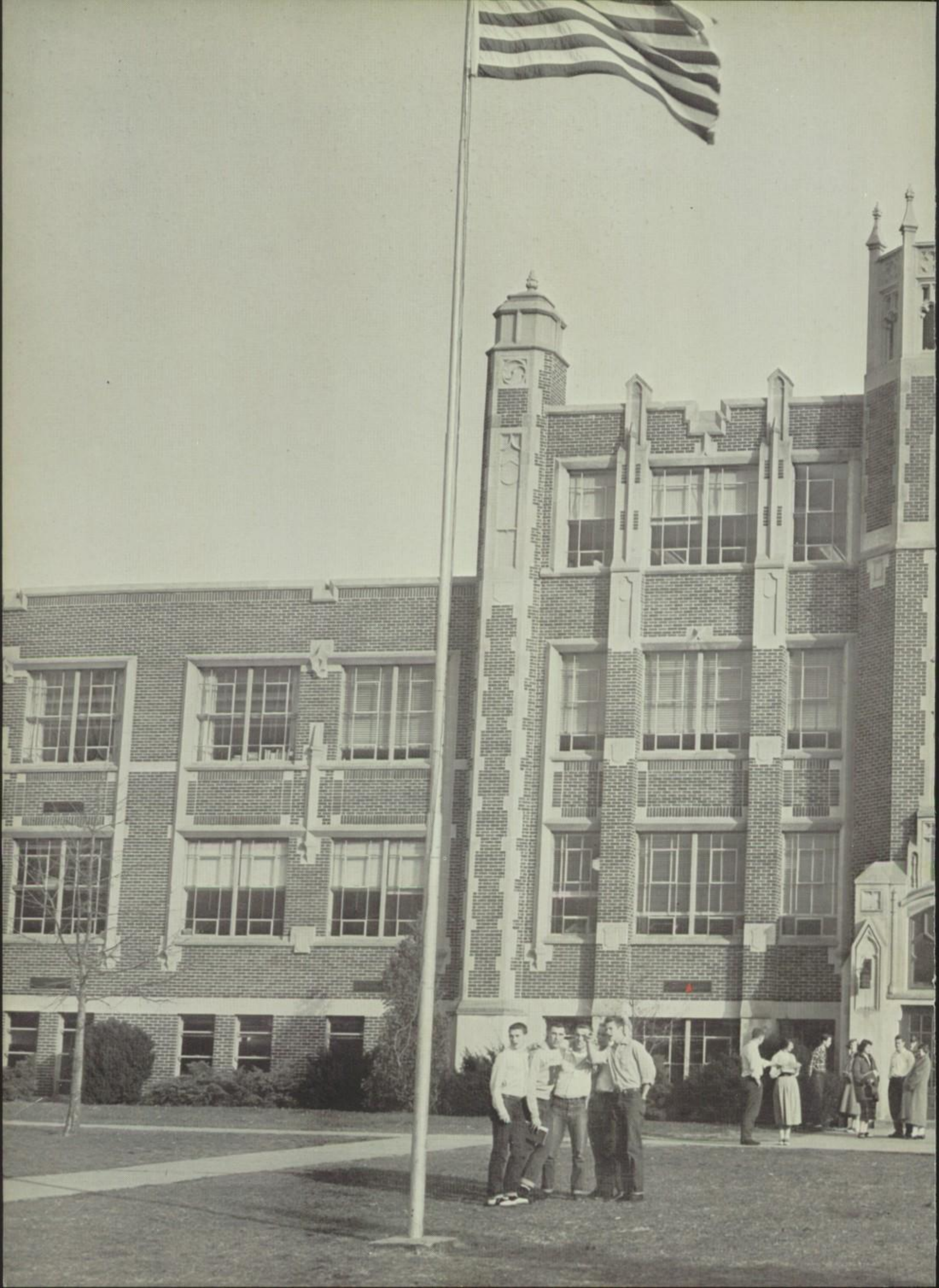


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FOREWORD

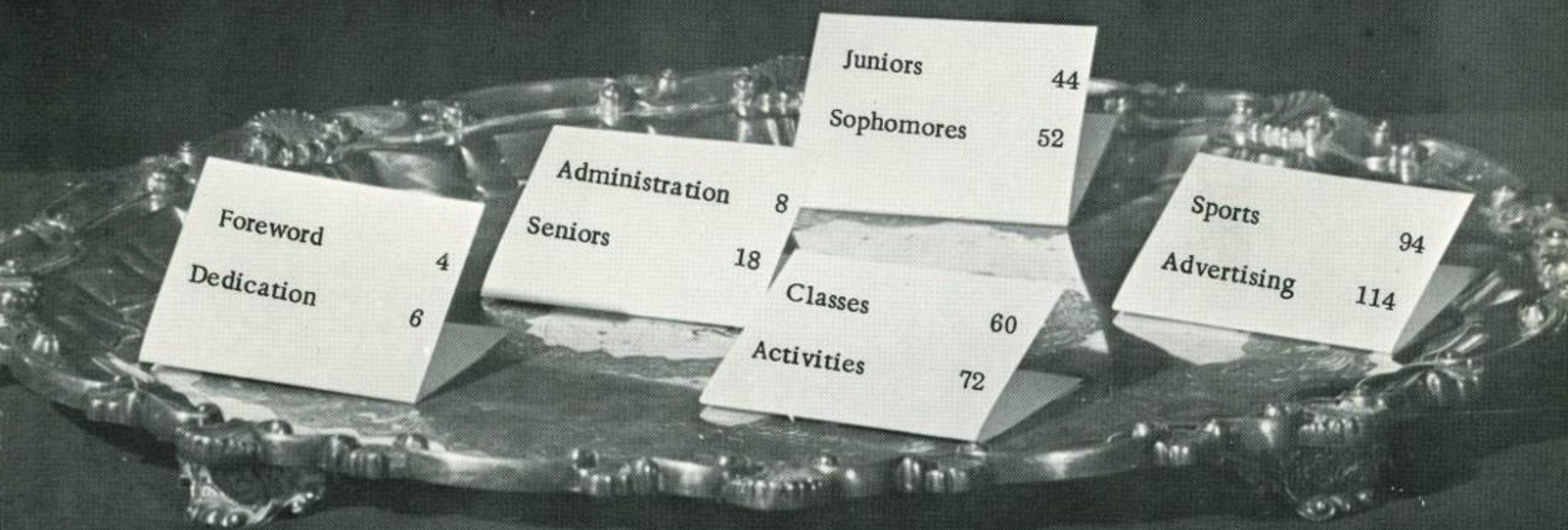
THE 1955 Oracle staff feels particularly privileged to record the history of the '54-'55 school year. A celebration is in order--a silver anniversary--because the 1955 Oracle is the twenty-fifth edition of the Whitmer yearbook.

This twenty-fifth recorded year with its classes and club meetings, its assemblies and athletic contests, its spirit and laughter, its students and teachers can only be told traditionally in the silver which symbolizes its vividness and brilliance.

The staff hopes, as you leaf through the pages of this Oracle, it will always reflect happy school days and brighten faded memories.

Joyce Miller
Advisor

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A silver tray with an ornate, scalloped edge holds several white index cards. The cards are arranged in a fan-like pattern, each displaying a section of the yearbook's table of contents. The text on the cards is as follows:

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DEDICATION

PAST

IN the past the yearbook staffs have worked long and hard to present an outstanding book to the Whitmer student body. In preparing the yearbook, the Oracle staffs have put in time and effort in order to publish a yearbook worthy of recognition. To them, the 1955 staff dedicates this Oracle.



Delilah Grabach
Associate Editor



D'Arcy Orde
Editor



Lloyd Otto
Business Manager

PRESENT

1955 is a big year in our Oracle history. This year as the 1955 Oracle comes off the press, it marks the twenty-fifth year that a yearbook has been published by a group of Whitmer students. The year of 1955 is a year we celebrate and we are proud to be publishing the Oracle.

FUTURE

WE also dedicate the 1955 Oracle to the students who will work on the yearbook staffs in the future. As they attempt each year to give an accurate and colorful record of the school year may they achieve success.





ADMINISTRATION

THE silver keys of knowledge and education are in the capable hands of Whitmer's faculty and administration. These keys are used to open the doors to a world of learning for Whitmer's student body.

BOARD OF EDUCATION



Vernon Browne
President of the Board



Earl Driver
Superintendent of
Washington Township



Orra Benton
Clerk-Treasurer



Al Morrett



Gerald Eldridge



Dr. Stephen Donath



Clyde Elder

SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS MEET



Mr. Graves, whose work is vocational guidance at Whitmer is discussing activities with Mr. Driver, who is Superintendent of Washington Township and Mr. Ryder, Superintendent of Lucas County schools, who has always shown a great interest in Whitmer's welfare.

MR. DRIVER, a helpful administrator of Whitmer's activities, has made his contribution to the Oracle:

The 1955 issue of the Oracle marks the twenty-fifth edition of Whitmer yearbook publications. This has been a quarter of a century of commendable journalistic effort and ever increasing quality results. While, undoubtedly, this current book is the "blue ribbon" issue of the series, we should ever be mindful of the indispensable contributions of our former staffs. This is true of most such efforts and activities in building and advancing; we profit by those who have gone before.

Heartiest congratulations to all of those who have so diligently participated in this, the Silver Anniversary edition of the Oracle. It is truly a reflector of twenty-five years of progressive education and advancement in the Washington Township School System.

EARL B. DRIVER



BETTY CONRAD
Secretary to Mr. Benton



CATHERINE LONGNECKER
Secretary to Mr. Driver

Proudly Presenting Loyal "Stacy"



THE 1955 Oracle would like to help a certain member of the faculty celebrate his twenty-five years at Whitmer. He can only be recognized as "Smiling Stace."

Donald A. Stacy graduated from Bowling Green State University in 1930 with a Bachelor of Science degree. He then came to Whitmer and began teaching Physical Education and Biology, along with being coach of all athletic activities.

He returned to Bowling Green State University in 1937 and received his B.A. and M.A. degrees.

In 1944, he taught health and started as baseball coach, which he has been ever since.

He was advisor of both the graduating classes of 1945 and 1951 and also in 1945 was advisor of the yearbook.

In 1930, he and Mrs. Gladys Rust initiated the Whitmer Circus and this year has marked the twentieth time it has been presented.

Throughout his twenty-five years his hard work and loyalty has made him a part of Whitmer that shall never be forgotten.



Mr. Walker... A Friend to All

FOR this "milestone" 25th yearbook, it seems proper to step back from the daily buzz of activities for a clearer perspective of Whitmer in 1954-55.

Our mainspring is the personal dedication of our faculty to the goal of making each student's three years with us beneficial and pleasant to an optimal degree and to the enthusiastic and friendly co-operation of our students.

Changing values in a complex postschool world dictate the necessity for a school philosophy which is sensitive to the possibility of improvement. What was excellent twenty-five years ago will be barely satisfactory today and totally unsatisfactory tomorrow. Our yardstick for each decision made must be: is this for the best interests of our student body? A school program must meet pupil needs of widely varying natures, but our basic goals for all graduates include:

1. a skill in the use of our language through the media of reading, and writing---
2. an understanding of our physical world through the media of mathematics and science---
3. a concept of our social world through the media of history, economics, and civics, which would make possible a responsible participation in a democratic society---
4. a knowledge of oneself for wise vocational planning, for social and emotional maturation, and for an appreciation and response to the high moral and ethical code which is our spiritual heritage.

We have been successful only to the degree in which your lives reflect this training.

With kindest personal regards,
A. C. Walker, Principal



THE FACULTY



Philip W. Alvarado
B. in Ed. University of Toledo
Psychology, Journalism



Vivian M. Bertram
B. in Ed. University of Toledo
Mathematics



Margaret Ann Bires
B. in Ed. University of Toledo
Physical Education



Clyde L. Brown
B. S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
Choir



Elizabeth Louise Brown
B. A. University of Toledo
B. L. S. Western Reserve Univ.
M. A. Ed. University of Toledo
Librarian



Robert Conroy
B. S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
Basketball Coach, Family
Living, History



Harvey J. Davis
B. S. in Ed. Missouri State College
M. E. University of Toledo
Dean of Boys, Civics



Virginia Dekle
B. S. in Ed. William and Mary
World History



Vera Fontaine
A. B. Northwestern University
Mathematics



Charles Foster
B. S. in Ed. Ohio Northern Univ.
English, Biology

GIVING OF THEMSELVES



Robert Geis
B. S. S. John Carroll University
B. in Ed. University of Toledo
Biology, History



Harry T. Graves
Marshall College
Ohio State University
University of Toledo
Vocational Supervisor



Dorothy Harris Hayes
A. G. and B. S.
Bowling Green State Univ.
English, Latin



Richard Heckman
B. A. University of Denver
University of Toledo
English, Speech



Harry Hendershot
B. A. Alma College
B. S. in Ed. Ohio State Univ.
Chemistry, Physical Science
Physics



John Hersland
B. S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
Driving



Louis Kaczmarek
B. S. in Ed. Miami University
Industrial Arts
Reserve Football Coach



Francis I. Kern
B. S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
Foods, Home Management
Home Nursing



Edwin G. Knepper
B. S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
Commercial



Marian Krause
B. S. in Ed. University of Toledo
English, Typing, Shorthand

PREPARING TOMORROW'S CITIZENS



Harmon Meihls
Ohio Northern University
B.S. in Ed. Univ. of Michigan
Band



Joyce Miller
B.A. in English Marygrove
English, Journalism



Barbara Mishler
B.A. and M.A.
University of Toledo
English, Spanish



Virginia Peters
B.S. in Ed. University of Toledo
Bookkeeping, Business Science
Shorthand



Ralph Pritts
B.S. in Ed., M.A. Ohio Univ.
Drawing and Metal Shop
Athletic Director



Marilyn Roe
B.S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
Home Furnishings, Sewing
Tailoring



Irma F. Schlegel
B.S. in Ed. University of Toledo
Civics, Dean of Girls



Jeannette Shockey
B.S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
Office Practice, Shorthand
Typing



Vernon Smith
B.S. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
B.A. University of Toledo
Football Coach, English
History



Thad Speier
University of Toledo
University of Illinois
Ohio State University
Trades and Industries



Donald A. Stacy
B.S. and M.A. in Ed.
Bowling Green State Univ.
Physical Education

THE DEANS ... GIVING SPECIAL GUIDANCE



DEAN OF GIRLS

THE task of disciplining, encouraging, and advising Whitmer students was again in the capable hands of Mrs. Irma Schlegel and Mr. Harvey Davis. They have won the respect and admiration of the student body for the wonderful way they have handled this difficult assignment. We hope they continue their counseling at Whitmer for many years to come.



DEAN OF BOYS

OFFICE STAFF



Sue Bracewell
Secretary to Mr. Walker



Trudy Prond
Assistant Secretary to Mr. Walker



Nancy Upp, Carol Wegener

SENIOR girls have the opportunity to work co-op in the Deans and Principal's offices. Their duties consist of typing, grading papers, running errands, filing, and similiar jobs. This co-op work merits them two school credits.



Natalie Smith, Linda Garrett, Laura Jane Bell





SENIORS

JUNE 2, 1955. For the senior this date means graduation. To some seniors this means gifts of glittering silver or softly spun linens. To others it means a new car, luggage, or perhaps the hoped for scholarship to the college of their choice. However, no graduate will miss its real significance--the end of four years of work and commencement of all they have spent these years preparing for.

LEADERS IN MAKING CLASS HISTORY



Mr. John Hersland
Advisor

LEFT TO RIGHT: Jack Clifton, Vice President; Chuck Dudderar, President; Jim Foels, Sergeant-at-Arms; Sharon Stahl, Secretary; Bob Connors, Treasurer.

Flower: White Carnation

Colors: Blue and Silver

Motto: Whatever is worth
doing at all is worth
doing well.

A GROUP of wondering children, we entered the halls of Whitmer in the fall of 1951. With the aid of the "Nutshell" we soon learned the rules and customs of Whitmer. Selling football and basketball pins was our first "big" project.

Our sophomore year was ushered in by sponsoring a skate.

Upperclassmen! As Juniors we assumed new and important responsibilities which prepared us for our future endeavors as Seniors. After much anticipation we received our class rings. We presented our class play, SPRING JOURNEY. Next was the Junior Prom, "Serenade in Blue."

This memorable year was brought to a close with a party for the departing Seniors.

Now we have completed our Senior year--one we shall never forget. In September Senior pictures were taken, and by December we were presenting our play, EVER SINCE EVE. Then came the Washington trip, Senior Prom, Baccalaureate, and finally Commencement. We can't complete our history without expressing our thanks to Mr. Hersland who so capably has guided us through these four wonderful years at Whitmer.

We Present the Class of "55"



ROBERT HARRY
ALBRIGHT
"Alby"

Horace Mann, Academic
"I am made of love
and charm; who gets me
is lucky."



CAROL SUE
ALEXANDER
"Sue"

Wernert, Academic
"A merry lass with a
winsome smile."



JAMES H. ALFORD
"Jim"

Forman, Ind. Arts
"Sometimes I sit and
think, and sometimes I
just sit."



SHIRLEY ANN ALFORD
"Shurby"

Forman, Commercial
"A brilliant mind, and
a pleasing smile."



ROBERT TERRY ALLEN
"Bob"

Trilby, Ind. Arts
"A curly haired lad
with quiet ways."

JOHN W. ANSTED
"Shorty"
Horace Mann, Academic
"Silence is golden,
but who am I to make
money."



THOMAS L. ASKINS
"Tom"
Whiteford Center
Ind. Arts

"Take me just as I
am."



BRADLEY JAY BALL
"Brad"

Edgerton, Business
"He's quiet but we suspect
he has a lighter side."



WILLIAM L. BALLERT
"Bill"

Hopewell, Academic
"Girls are a nui-
sance, but I like to
be bothered."



SHARON KAY BARTLEY
"Sharon"

Mt. Vernon, Academic
"A pretty girl who
has the key to fame."



LAURA JANE BELL
"Pete"

Trilby, Commercial
"Little, but Oh my!
those dark eyes."



MARJORIE ANN BENNER
"Margie"

Whiteford Center, Comm.
"She appears serious,
but she's full of mis-
chief."

Under the Guidance of Mr. Hersland



ADDLIE LOUISE BENNETT
"Addie"
Westwood, Commercial
"A loose page from
the book of fun."



BRAND BERESFORD
"Buck"
East High
"He's new but an
asset to our school."



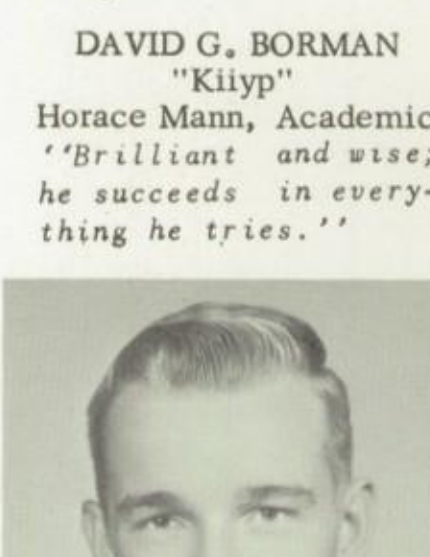
NANETTE M. BIERITZ
"Nan"
Wernert, Commercial
"Dark hair, dark eyes,
and pleasing person-
ality."



LARRY D. BINKLEY
"Bink"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"Work fascinates me;
I could sit and look
at it for hours."



ORVILLE BRUCE BOMAR
"Orv"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"A favorite with all
who know him."



DAVID G. BORMAN
"Kiiyp"
Horace Mann, Academic
"Brilliant and wise;
he succeeds in every-
thing he tries."



DAVID O. BRATTON
"Dave"
Trilby, Ind. Arts
"A silent and a mighty
man."

WILLIAM L. BISHOP
"Bill"
Horace Mann, Academic
"A stranger he came,
but a friend he be-
came."



DON BURT BREWSTER
"Goble"
Horace Mann, Academic
"Ready for anything, work
or play, he's a jolly good
scout most any day."



LOIS KATHRYN BRITSCH
"Lucky"
Westwood, Commercial
"She's a jolly good
kid no one can deny."



WILLIAM SPENCER BROTT
"Bill"
Longfellow, Academic
"Love stole into his heart
one day; just came for a vis-
it and decided to stay."



RICHARD EARL BROWN
"Goldilocks"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"Witty sayings do
help one."

And the Class Officers



JOHN ROBERT BUKOWSKI
"Jake"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"Greater basketball players have lived, but I doubt it."



CAROL MARIAN CAIN
"Muff"
Wernert, Commercial
"Too little to be seen; too important to be missed."



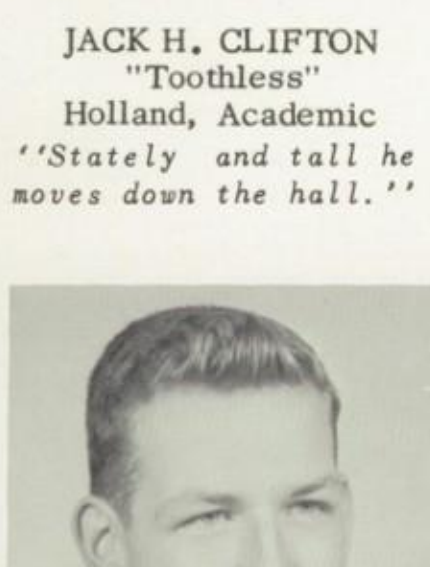
BARBARA A. CARLILE
"Barb"
Wernert, Commercial
"She's unpredictable but as great as they come."



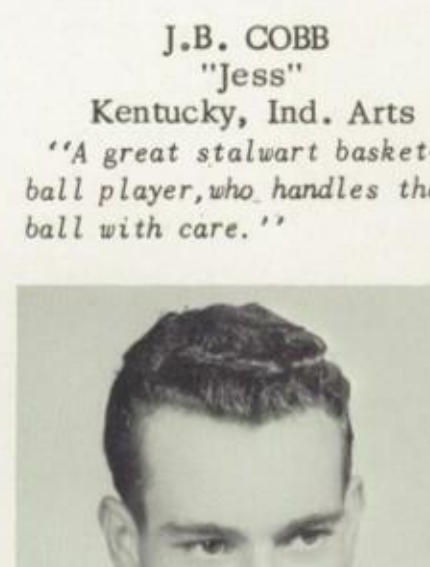
JAMES R. CHISAM
"Tex"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"Whitmer's contribution to the Dixie Land Band."



RONALD A. CLAWSON
"Ronnie"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"Quietness is this mighty man's trait."



JACK H. CLIFTON
"Toothless"
Holland, Academic
"Stately and tall he moves down the hall."



J.B. COBB
"Jess"
Kentucky, Ind. Arts
"A great stalwart basketball player, who handles the ball with care."



JAMES STEPHEN COMBS
"Jim"
Fulton, Academic
"Successful, but not proud; witty, but not loud."



ROBERT L. CONNERS
"Bob"
Hopewell, Academic
"His only fault is that he has none."



JOANN FLORENCE CONOVER
"Jo"
Horace Mann, Academic
"Tall and graceful; a friend to all."



JEROME LEON COX
"Jerry"
Wernert, Academic
"Quiet and studious."



BARBARA M. CRAYNE
"Barb"
Wernert, Commercial
"Her personality, like her baton, is always sparkling."

A Gay Float Representing Snow White



DOLORES JOAN CRISTALDI
"Dee"
Wernert, Academic
"A musician who really makes the violin talk."



CHARLOTTE M. DALLAS
"Sparky"
Hopewell, Commercial
"A lively miss with a sense of humor."



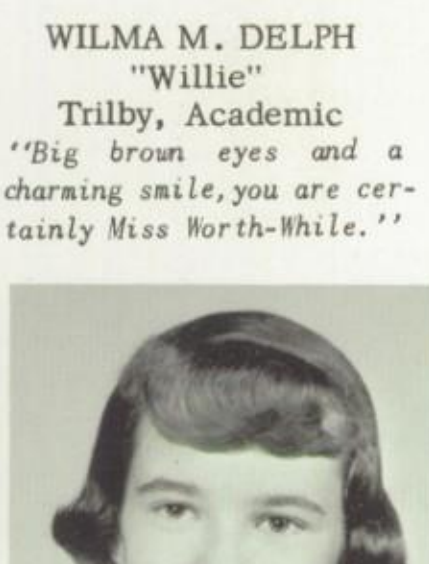
JANE ANNIS DAWSON
"Janie"
Horace Mann, Commercial
"Her eyes how they twinkle, her dimples merry, her laughter through the halls does carry."



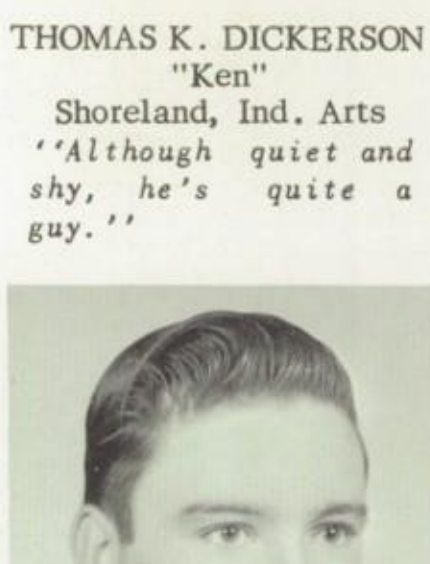
DONNA JEAN DECKER
"Don"
Hopewell, Academic
"A lively lass, an outstanding member of our class."



GAIL BRUNING DELPH
"Gail"
Horace Mann, Academic
"A smile is this girl's trademark."



WILMA M. DELPH
"Willie"
Trilby, Academic
"Big brown eyes and a charming smile, you are certainly Miss Worth-While."



THOMAS K. DICKERSON
"Ken"
Shoreland, Ind. Arts
"Although quiet and shy, he's quite a guy."



RICHARD FREDRICK DIGBY
"Freddie"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"I wish I had been born rich instead of handsome."



DONALD E. DOTY
"Don"
Hopewell, Academic
"It's not what we think or say but what we do that will have its effect on the world."



LINDA JANE DRAKE
"Linda"
Trilby, Academic
"If I could only type as fast as I can talk."



MARY CAROL DRISCOLL
"Mary"
McKinley, Commercial
"A sparkling personality and a pleasing smile make this girl's future worth-while."



JAMES JOHN DUBRY
"Duby"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"Quiet and shy are the makings of this wonderful guy."

And The Seven Dwarfs Was Built



CHARLES R. DUDDERAR
"Chuck"

Wernert, Academic
"We proudly present our class president of the past two years."



PATRICIA IRENE ELLIS
"Pat"

Trilby, Home Economics
"Quiet in her ways but this is a virtue that pays."



FRED THEODORE EMMETT
"Ted"

Nathan Hale, Academic
"A cheerful lad who's always glad when he can keep a girl from being sad."



GEORGE A. FLETCHER
"Fletch"

Trilby, Ind. Arts
"A quiet guy with a noteworthy personality."



JAMES EDWARD FOELS
"Jim"

Immanuel Lutheran Academic
"An honor student is he, and a swell fellow you can plainly see."

ANTHONY ARNOLD
FARNSWORTH
"Tony"
California, Academic
"Tony's dancing has won acclaim and to our school he'll someday bring fame."



STEADMAN LEE
FORMAN
"Uncle Teddy"
Hopewell, T. & I.
"Steadman's work is with machines, but someday he will answer some girl's dreams."



WILLIAM BERNARR
FOWLER
"Bill"

Wernert, Academic
"I'm quiet but witty."



ALBERT LARRY FRONTZ
"Larry"

Wernert, Ind. Arts
"He's a player on the stage of life, portraying the part of Romeo."



JAMES S. FYE
"Jim"

DeVeaux, Academic
"Live while you're livin' cause you're gonna be a long time dead."



JANET LEE GARBERTSON
"Jan"

Trilby, Commercial
"Sugar and spice, everything nice, that's what Janet's made of."



MITZIE RAE GARDNER
"Mitts"

Hopewell, Commercial
"I like to be active and serve my school."

Sharon Bartley, Homecoming Queen



WENDY LEE GARDNER
"Wendy"
Hopewell, Commercial
"Wendy is a friend to all;
she'll always greet you in
the hall."



LINDA A. GARRETT
"Lynne"
Trilby, Commercial
"Beautiful and wise
with laughter for a
disguise."



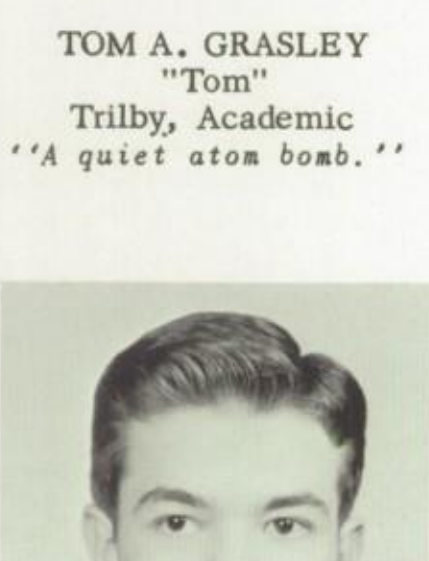
LEROY DAVID GLANDER
"LeRoy"
Trilby, T.&. I.
"LeRoy is often seen
leading the student
body in cheers."



SHIRLEY ANN GONYER
"Shirl"
Westwood, Commercial
"She's short but
sweet."



DELILAH LEE GRABACH
"Dimples"
Shoreland, Commercial
"A twinkle in her eye
and a dimple in her
cheek."



TOM A. GRASLEY
"Tom"
Trilby, Academic
"A quiet atom bomb."



PATRICIA WEBER GRATZ
"Pat"
Whiteford Center, Comm.
"She's taken her big
step."



GEORGIA ANN GREEN
"George"
Wernert, Academic
"She speaks her mind
without hesitation."



DOREEN MAE GRIMSHAW
"Doreen"
Wernert, Academic
"She has a face like
a blessing."



JOHN ALLEN HALE
"Johnnie"
St. Joseph, T.&. I.
"Why talk? Others do
enough of it."



MARY LOUISE HARGET
"Mary Lou"
Hopewell, Academic
"There is a quiet
dignity about her."



RONALD E. HART
"Ronnie"
Whiteford Center, Ind. Arts
"Some would say he is
quiet; but if they knew
him, they'd deny it."

Was Crowned in October



JAMES C. HAUBE
"Jim"
Eagle Point, Academic
"A red face and a
pleasing smile."



DONNA BINDER HAWKINS
"Donnie"
Bedford, Home Economics
"Donna is quiet and greatly
inclined to be a friend of
the nicest kind."



DAVID T. HERZIG
"Stubby"
Wernert, Commercial
"Oh, if I could only
grow."



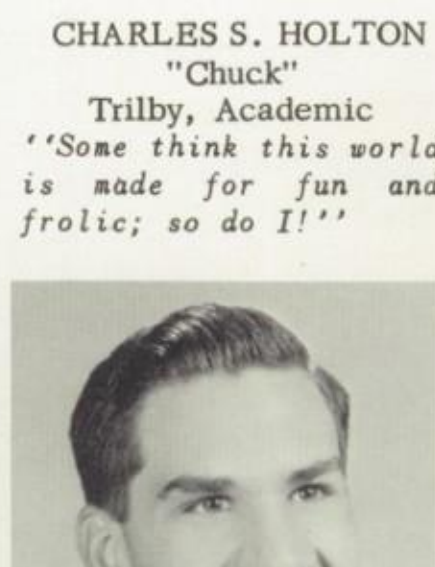
ALICE L. HOERIG
"Alice"
Westwood, Commercial
"Happy am I! from care I'm
free. Why aren't they all
content like me?"



CECILIA M.J. HOERIG
"Sally"
Westwood, Academic
"Full of energy, al-
ways."



CAROL FRANCES
HOFFMAN
"Carol"
Wernert, Academic
"A heart to resolve, a
head to contrive, and
a hand to execute."



CHARLES S. HOLTON
"Chuck"
Trilby, Academic
"Some think this world
is made for fun and
frolic; so do I!"



MERLE DAVID HOPKINS
"Dave"
Westwood, Academic
"My own thoughts are
my companions."



NANCY LOU HUETER
"Nanc"
Westwood, Commercial
"Nothing is more use-
ful than silence."



RICHARD WM. HUFFER
"Dick"
Wernert, Academic
"The only way to have
friends is to be one."



EDWIN F. HUNT
"Eddie"
Westwood, Ind. Arts
"I never let studies
interfere with my edu-
cation."



PATRICIA L. HUTCHINSON
"Pat"
Burnham, Commercial
"Quick and witty, she
always has a ready an-
swer."

Remember . . . In November the Excitement



BOB JOHNSON
Rossford, Ind. Arts
*'Be silent and safe;
silence never betrays
you.'*



GAIL C. JONES
Wernert, Academic
*'They say greater men
than I have lived, but
I doubt it.'*



HARRISON ED KAYLOR
"Punk"
Wernert, Commercial
*'I don't want to be
famous; I only want to
be good.'*



CAROLYN RAE KELLER
"Carol"
Shoreland, Academic
*'Laugh, and scatter
cares to the wind.'*



DONALD S. KENDALL
"Don"
McKinley, Academic
*'He's tall; he's wise;
he'll succeed in all
he tries.'*



CAROL RUTH KENNEDY
"Candy"
Westwood, Commercial
*'She herself is sweet-
er than the sweetest
thing we know.'*



JOHN HOWARD KERN
"Big John"
Shoreland, Ind. Arts
*'He's little; he's
wise; he's a terror for
his size.'*



JUDY G. KILBRIDE
"Jude"
Wernert, Academic
*'Active, stirring, all
afire, could not rest,
could not tire.'*



NANCY JANE KLOSINSKI
"Nan"
St. Hedwig, Commercial
*'A quiet maiden intent
on her work.'*



CHARLOTTE ANN KOEPKE
"Chot"
Shoreland, Commercial
*'Her hair is golden
and so are her
thoughts.'*



HARRY EDWIN KORN
Pennsylvania
*'I am a peaceable,
tame, and quiet man.'*



NANCY C.
KROPACZEWSKI
St. Joseph, Commercial
*'Sober, but not dull;
gay, but not boister-
ous.'*

Of Senior Name Cards and Pictures



RONALD D. LACY
"Ron"
McKinley, Academic
"A sunny disposition and a pleasing personality."



LINDA R. LANGLEY
Westwood, Academic
"Happiness is found in activity."



DARRYL L. LEATHERS
"Darry"
Wernert, Academic
"Folks think I am bashful, but my friends know better."



JOSEPH E. LETSON
"Joe"
Hopewell, Ind. Arts
"I'll speak in a monstrous little voice."



MARYANNA E. LISKE
"Snookie"
Hopewell, Commercial
"A happy soul; makes summer of a rainy day."

DELORES RUTH LOEFFLER
"Dolly"

Wernert, Academic
"If 'tis good I will do it; if 'tis bad it should not be done."

BEVERLY LUGAR
"Bev"

Joseph Mauck, Home Ec.
"Judge me not until you know me."



WALDO I. MARLETT
"Diz"
Trilby, Ind. Arts
"Valiant, loyal, and above all-a gentleman everywhere."



PAUL FRED McATEE
"Mac"
Westwood, Ind. Arts
"His manner is quiet, but don't judge him by it."



CLIFFORD V. McBRIDE
"Cliff"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"He has the appearance and actions of a gentleman."



GARY LEE McCAW
"Peaches"
Florida, Academic
"He has made many friends in his year at Whitmer."



PATRICIA A. McCORMICK
"Pat"
Westwood, Academic
"As she thinks, so she speaks, and she thinks well."

In December the Last Minute Rush



THOMAS D. McCULLOUGH
"Tim"
Wernert, Academic
"An innocent appearance,
but looks are deceiving."



DEAN W. McCREERY
"Dean"
Horace Mann, Academic
"It is a friendly
heart that has plenty
of friends."



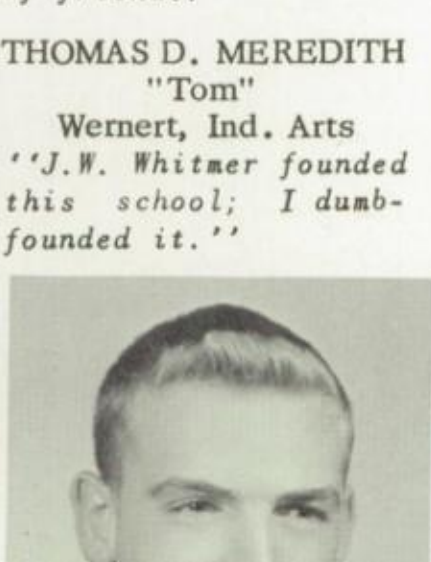
RICHARD A. McCREE
"Dick"
Trilby, Ind. Arts
"By observing good
manners we become good
members of society."



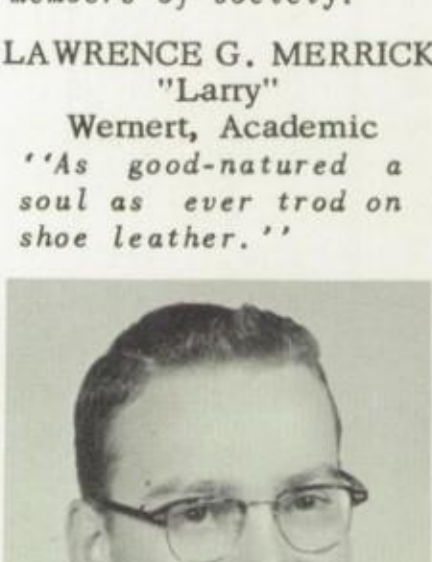
KATHRYN I. MEEKS
"Kathy"
Westwood, Commercial
"From a little spark burst
a mighty flame."



CYNTHIA A. MEINDERS
"Cindy"
Horace Mann, Academic
"There lies a great
deal of devilishness
beneath a mild ex-
terior."



THOMAS D. MEREDITH
"Tom"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"J.W. Whitmer founded
this school; I dumb-
founded it."



LAWRENCE G. MERRICK
"Larry"
Wernert, Academic
"As good-natured a
soul as ever trod on
shoe leather."



GENE LEE MICKENS
"Mick"
Hopewell, Ind. Arts
"The way to be happy
is to make others
happy."



JOYCE M. MILLER
Hamilton, Commercial
"Always spic and span
and neat, a nicer girl
you would never meet."



KENNETH C. MILLER
"Ken"
Whiteford Center, Ind. Arts
"Education is a treas-
ured companion."



PHILLIP W. MOLIK
"Phil"
Hopewell, Academic
"Politeness costs lit-
tle and yields much."



GEORGENE M. MOON
"George"
Forman, Commercial
"Those who know her
best, like her best."

At Ever Since Eve Rehearsals



CAROL DELORES
MROZINSKI
"Mro"
Wernert, Commercial
"Her face is sweet and
keen is her mind."



WILLIAM FRANCIS
MURNEN
"Bill"
Trilby, Ind. Arts
"He's the kind whose good
nature never varies."



JEANNE ANN NELSON
"Jeannie"
Westwood, Academic
"Mirth, joy, and
song your joy illu-
minate."



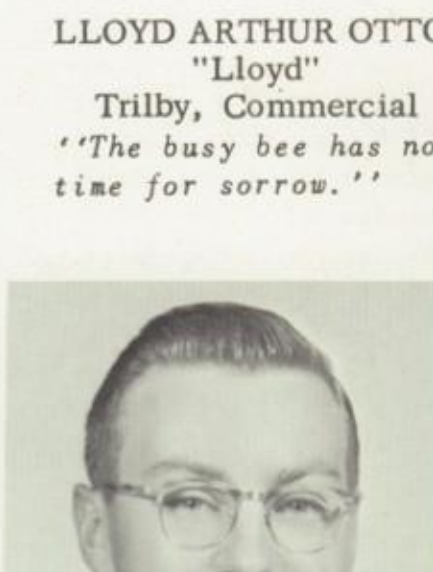
MARILYN MARIE NICELY
"Mo"
Trilby, Academic
"Our contribution to the
stylists of the future."



BONNIE JEAN OBERLE
"Bonnie"
Westwood, Commercial
"Here's to the girl
who's bound to win."



HELEN D'ARCY ORDE
"Darc"
Horace Mann, Academic
"Temper --- but tops;
Tease--but terrific."



LLOYD ARTHUR OTTO
"Lloyd"
Trilby, Commercial
"The busy bee has no
time for sorrow."



DIANNE E. OVERHULSE
"D"
Jones Jr. High, Commercial
"Just waiting to
sparkle."



RONALD G. PEEPS
"The Kid"
McKinley, Academic
"Casanova at his
best."



DAVID LOUIS PELTON
"Dave"
Trilby, Ind. Arts
"Blond and broad-
shouldered is this
blue-eyed sportsman."



MARGARET M. PETZ
"Margie"
Hopewell, Commercial
"Fair and sweet; bound
to go far."



RACHEL ANN PLOCK
"Rach"
Wernert, Commercial
"Her heart is like a
moon; there is a man
in it."

Returning in January with a New Year's Resolution



ROBERT H. PLONTZ
"Bob"
St. Vincent de Paul
Ind. Arts
"Smile with the intent to do mischief."



CAROLINE M. PLUMB
"Plummie"
Westwood, Commercial
"A silent nature, concealing a warmth of true friendship."



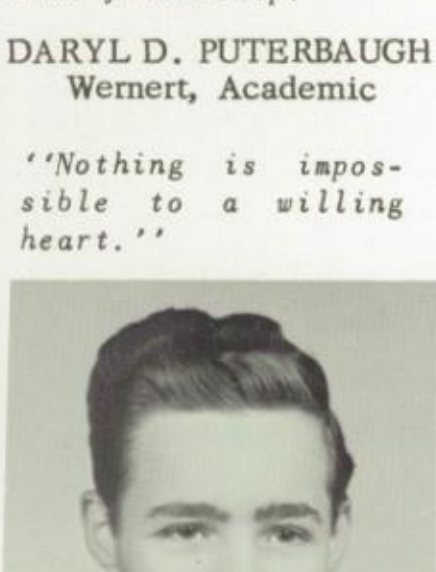
BARBARA LEE PRENTICE
"Babs"
Holland, Commercial
"The right girl to fit the right place."



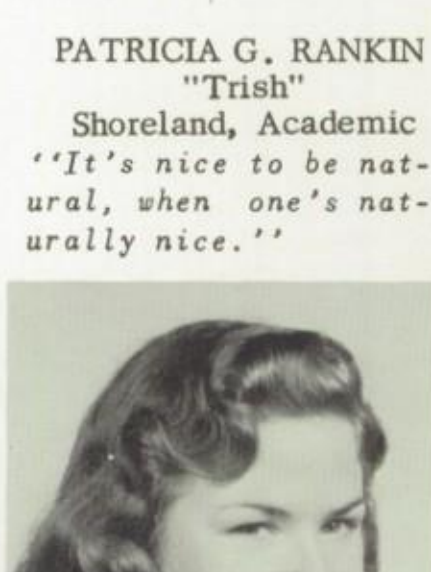
PATRICIA J. PRENTICE
"Patsy"
Wernert, Commercial
"The future I may face; I have proved the past."



BEVERLY JEANNE QUICK
"Bev"
Horace Mann, Academic
"The maid with the friendly eyes."



DARYL D. PUTERBAUGH
Wernert, Academic
"Nothing is impossible to a willing heart."



PATRICIA G. RANKIN
"Trish"
Shoreland, Academic
"It's nice to be natural, when one's naturally nice."



KATHRYN A. RAPP
"Kate"
Shoreland, Academic
"Ever loyal, ever true to the tasks she has to do."



EDWARD CHARLES RAY
"Eddie"
Wernert, Academic
"Small but mighty."



LOUISE C. REGER
Maplewood, Academic
"A silent nature, concealing a warmth of true friendship."



LEWIS ANDRE REGNIER
"Louie"
Wernert, Ind. Arts
"Keen sense, common sense, a little dash of nonsense."



JUDY ANN RICHARDS
"Muff"
Longfellow, Commercial
"Modern, smartly dressed and altogether charming."

To Study for Semester Exams



JOHN C. RIDEOUT
Feilbach, Academic
*"Politeness is good
nature regulated by
good sense."*



EUGENE KEITH RIGGS
"Tom"
Wernert, Academic
*"Not only good, but
good for something."*



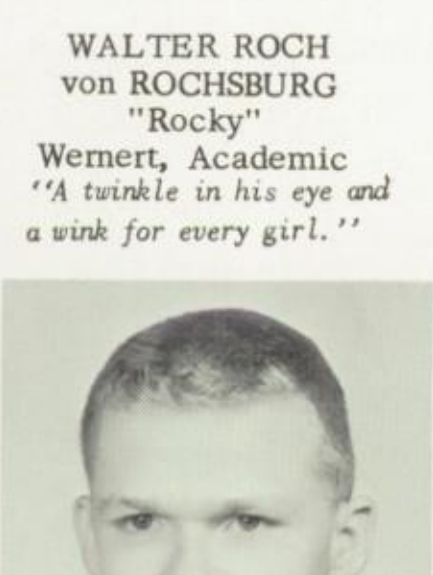
DONNA L.
RITZENTHALER
St. Agnes, Commercial
*"Here's to the gal with
face so fair, framed in a
wreath of golden hair."*



JOANNE MARIE ROBARGE
"Jo"
Hopewell, Commercial
*"Silence never be-
trays you."*



DONNA J. ROBINSON
"Donna"
Whiteford Center
Commercial
*"Always jolly and
mischievous, too."*



WALTER ROCH
von ROCHSBURG
"Rocky"
Wernert, Academic
*"A twinkle in his eye and
a wink for every girl."*



LOUISE RULE
"Lou"
Horace Mann, Academic
*"A clever girl, we'll all
agree; all smiles, all A's,
pleasing to see."*



BARBARA E. SCHICK
St. Angela Hall, Academic
*"She has a style all
her own."*



JACQUELYN R. SCHIFFER
"Jackie"
Hopewell, Commercial
*"She has a gift of
gaiety."*



MARILYNN R. SCHMIDLIN
"Mickey"
Coy, Home Economics
*"A blonde beauty, full
of fun and frolic."*



JOANNE G. SCHULTZ
"Jo"
Olney, Academic
*"She is just a regu-
lar modern girl."*



RUSSELL G. SCHULTZ
"Russ"
Hopewell, Ind. Arts
*"An all-round ath-
lete is a hint to his
name."*

How the Assembly Committee



RICHARD SCHUTT
"Dick"
Wernert, Business
"Life will never grow weary for me."



MYRNA LOUISE SEMLER
"Mern"
Westwood, Commercial
"She speaks with a quiet, friendly way."



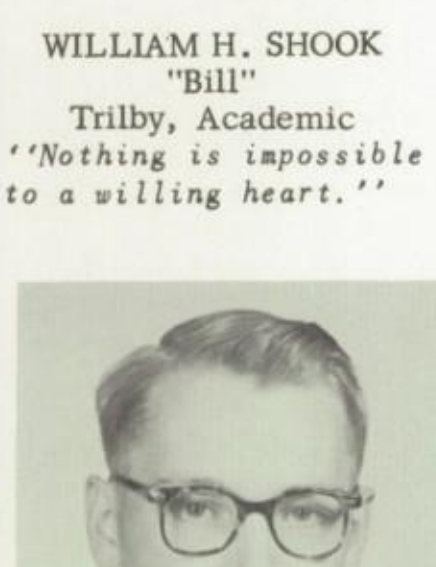
GERRY R. SHINABERY
"Shinny"
Wernert, Commercial
"Poetry comes easy to a poetess."



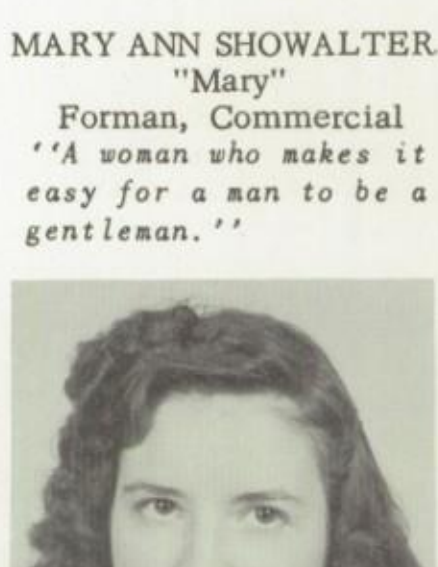
MARILYN JANE SHIPMAN
"Pinkey"
Westwood, Commercial
"This girl, so witty and gay, always has a friendly word to say."



THOMAS E. SHOOK
"Tom"
Lincoln, Ind. Arts
"The finest all around fellow you would want to meet."



WILLIAM H. SHOOK
"Bill"
Trilby, Academic
"Nothing is impossible to a willing heart."



MARY ANN SHOWALTER
"Mary"
Forman, Commercial
"A woman who makes it easy for a man to be a gentleman."



PATRICK MERRITT SLOAN
"Pat"
Westwood, Academic
"Jack of all trades; master of all."



CATHERINE H. SMITH
"Cathy"
Wernert, Commercial
"My hair is my pride; my dog is my joy."



JOHN A. SMITH
"Big John"
Trilby, Academic
"Keen sense, common sense, a little of non-sense."



NATALIE JANE SMITH
"Nat"
Trilby, Commercial
"My heart is tender, especially toward the other gender."



JOYCE SPLITTGERBER
"Split"
Trinity Lutheran, Comm.
"If giggles were contagious, she'd be quarantined."

Burned the Midnight Oil over the Script



SHARON L. STAHL
Horace Mann, Academic
"The lass of the class, and Oh! the class of the lass."



WILLIAM A. TATTERSALL
"Bill"
Horace Mann, Ind. Arts
"Everyone is happier when he's around."



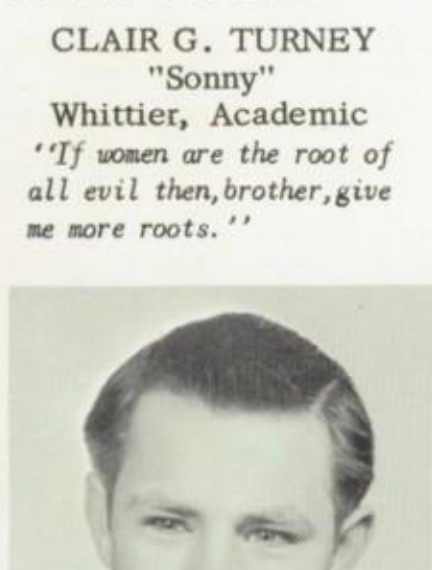
NORMA J. THOMPSON
"Tom"
Glenwood, Commercial
"She has been with us but a year, but we enjoyed her presence."



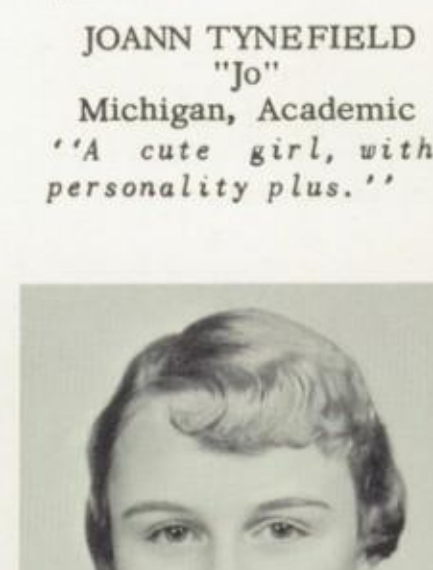
SHARON J. THOMPSON
"Shari"
Hopewell, Commercial
"To know her once is to like her always."



DAVID J. TURNER
"Dave"
Shoreland, Ind. Arts
"Good as an athlete, good as a student, even better as a friend."



CLAIR G. TURNEY
"Sonny"
Whittier, Academic
"If women are the root of all evil then, brother, give me more roots."



JOANN TYNEFIELD
"Jo"
Michigan, Academic
"A cute girl, with personality plus."



NANCY JO ANN UPP
"Nanc"
Wernert, Commercial
"She's very wise but not so tall, for precious things are always small."



JERRY WAGER
Longfellow, Academic
"On the football field he sets a wicked pace; but, believe me, he's faster in Cupid's Race."



SHARON C. WAITE
"Shar"
Glendale, Commercial
"Her qualities are such that we can speak only good of her."



MILDRED A. WALLACE
"Milly"
Shoreland, Home Ec.
"She comes and goes and is always welcome."



DONALD D. WARNER
"Don"
Whiteford Center
Academic
"Life is like a game of football with time out for dating."

To End It All a Memorable Prom



GERALDINE WECHSEL
"Jerry"
Trilby, Commercial
"Natural waves and pleasant ways."



CAROL JOAN WEGENER
"Muff Weg"
Wernert, Commercial
"She makes up in fight what she lacks in height."



JOYCE WESTRUP
"Joyce"
Wernert, Commercial
"A daughter of the gods, divinely tall and most divinely fair."



MARILYN JOYCE WHITE
"Joyce"
Shoreland, Commercial
"Always laughing and a real true friend."

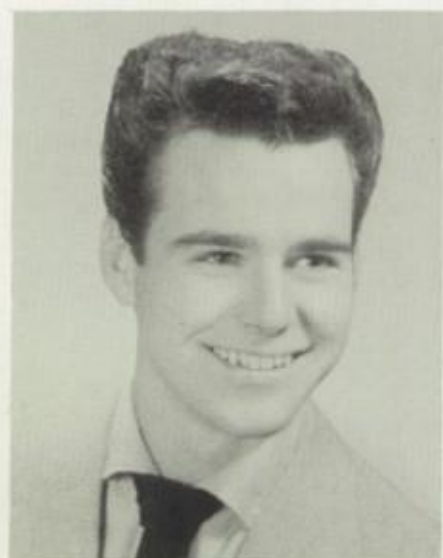


CLIFFORD W. WHITENBURG
"Cliff"
Trilby, Ind. Arts
"A light hearted, happy-go-lucky gent."

CAROL ANN WHITNEY
"Uke"
Trilby, Academic
"May she always stay the same, changing nothing but her name."



DONALD ED WHITT
"Don"
Shoreland, Ind. Arts
"He couldn't be nicer."



RON T. WILSON
"Peanut"
Trilby, Academic
"Variety and fun are the spice of his life."



DAVID EDWARD ZIEMS
"Zemo"
Trilby, Academic
"Music is the universal language."



PATT ANN ZIEGLER
"Zieg"
Whittier, Academic
"If good spirits were sunshine, she would lighten the world."



JAMES EDWARD ZINK
"Jim"
Trilby, T. & I.
"It's nice to talk; it's nice to smile; it's nice to be serious, once in a while."



HELEN M. DITTMAN
"Ditt"
Trilby, Commercial
"Blond hair, blue eyes, in the ways of fashions she is wise."

CHAIRMEN PLAN COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES

PLAY

PROM



Co-Chairmen

Dave Borman Laura Jane Bell

| | |
|----------------|--------------------|
| Sharon Bartley | John Smith |
| Gail Jones | Carol Cain |
| Jim Foels | Barbara Crayne |
| Jack Clifton | Donna Ritzenthaler |
| Chuck Dudderar | Nancy Upp |
| Bill Murnen | Carol Mrozinski |



Co-Chairmen

Jo Tynefield Linda Garrett

| | |
|-----------------|---------------|
| Joann Conover | Beverly Quick |
| Patt Ziegler | Wilma Delph |
| Louise Reger | Jim Combs |
| Pat Ellis | Patrick Sloan |
| Mary Lou Harget | Jerry Cox |

FLOAT



Co-Chairmen

Gail Delph D'Arcy Orde

Dean McCreery
John Ansted
Joyce Splittgerber
Walt Roch von Rochsburg

ASSEMBLY



Co-Chairmen

Natalie Smith Sue Alexander

| | |
|-----------------|-----------------|
| Tony Farnsworth | Judy Richards |
| John Rideout | Pat Rankin |
| James Fye | Delilah Grabach |
| Kate Rapp | Russell Schultz |
| Joyce White | |

DANCE



Co-Chairmen

Norma Thompson Dave Turner
Larry Frontz Cathy Smith
Rachael Plock Carol Wegener

BACCALAUREATE



Co-Chairmen

Mitzi Gardner Wendy Gardner

Margie Petz Georgia Green
Joann Shultz

ANNOUNCEMENT



Co-Chairmen

LeRoy Glander Don Brewster
Carol Kennedy
Jeanne Nelson
Mary Driscoll

GIFT



Donna Decker, Chm.
Mary Driscoll
Waldo Marlett
David Herzig
Pat McCormick

PROPHECY



Gerry Shinaberry, Chm.
Sharon Stahl
Daryl Puterbaugh
Barbara Carlile
Bob Connors

NAME CARD



Louise Rule, Chm.
Linda Drake
Joyce Westrup

YOU MUST HAVE BEEN A BEAUTIFUL BABY

lis - ten - ing to:



D. Leathers



J. Wechsel



B. Albright



C. Cain



S. Thompson



J. Schiffer



M. Shipman



P. Sloan



B. Quick



P. Rankin



D. Decker



S. Gonyer



D. Puterbaugh



H. Dittman



J. Richards



D. Overhulse



L. Bell



P. Prentice



G. Delph

Verse

1. I once had
(2. My) dol - ly
(3. And) then came

M. Benner

dressed in white,
to the play day

I And I

- MA,

MA - MA

R. Hart

D. Robinson

R. Wilson

M. Harget

called her
I wrapped her

L. Otto

G. Shinabery

R. Clawson

eyes were so blue
wash her and feed
I've got a se

were so red, But

S. Alexander

S. Stahl

C. Dudderar

Verse

(3..

C. Smith

A. & C. Hoerig

D. Warner

D. Kendall

D. Turner

D. Borman

L. Drake

called her my ba - by and I'd
I al - ways know what she ant
wrapped her in pa - per and out

her each tight;
day;
way;

To me it meant, "I lo

wash I've her got and

BECAUSE, BABY, LOOK AT YOU NOW

eyes were so blue and her cheeks were so red. But

CLASS OF "55"'S COMEDIES



Lucybelle Lee (D'Arcy Orde) is bawling out Spud Erwin (Ronald Wilson) and Johnny Clover (David Borman) for a mistake in the school paper. Betsy Erwin (Pat Rankin) and Susan Blake (JoAnn Tynefield) look at the paper in the background.

THE Senior play, *EVER SINCE EVE*, centered around high school journalism. Poor Johnny and Spud have troubles galore as the football players played by Darry Leathers, David Turner, Tim McCullough, and Bob Albright try to steal Lucybelle and Susan from them.



Cappy (Lloyd Otto) is talking with headquarters, while Mr. Clover (Bob Connors) seems concerned with the waste basket. Mrs. Clover (Louise Reger) tries to pacify him.



Henry Quinn (Jim Foels) and Martha Willard (Sharon Bartley) look at the school paper, the *PENQUIN*, and Preston Hughes (Don Kendall) looks on.

RATE MANY CURTAIN CALLS



SPRING JOURNEY cast relaxes for pictures: ROW 1: Chuck Dudderar, Jim Foels. ROW 2: Lloyd Otto, Pat Rankin, Sharon Bartley, JoAnn Tynefield, D'Arcy Orde.

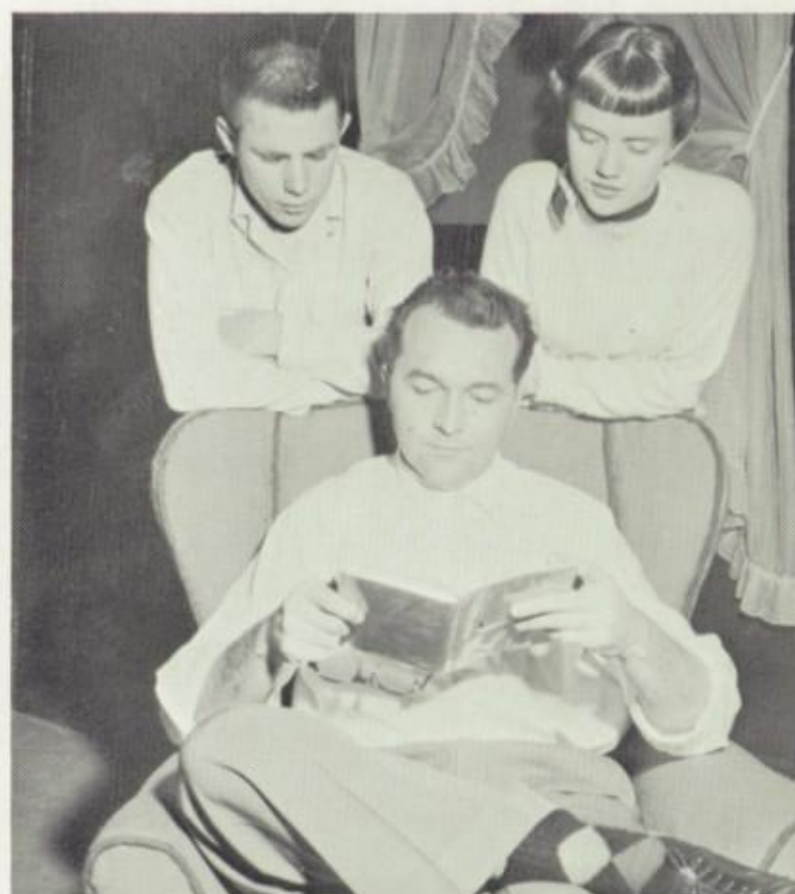
THE Junior Play, SPRING JOURNEY, dealt with a senior class going to Washington, D.C. Members of the cast included:

Teacher..... Jane Dawson
 Larry..... Chuck Dudderar
 Babs..... JoAnn Tynefield
 Griselda..... D'Arcy Orde
 Jan..... Ronald Wilson
 Ken..... Jim Foels
 Dottie..... Sharon Bartley
 Jinx..... Pat Bell

Senator Pemberton..... Bob Albright
 Inspector..... Walter Roch von Rochsburg
 Al..... Lloyd Otto
 Reporters..... Sharon Stahl
 Dave Borman
 Pat Rankin
 Waldo Marlett

Technical Staff for the Junior and Senior plays:

| | |
|---------------|-----------------|
| Wilma Delph | Claire Turney |
| Carol Whitney | Linda Garrett |
| Linda Drake | Judy Richards |
| Gail Delph | Doreen Grimshaw |
| Beverly Quick | Laura Jane Bell |



Mr. Heckman, director of the Junior and Senior plays, teaches the ropes to Claire Turney and Linda Garrett, senior student directors. Fred Emmett student-directed the Junior play.

SENIOR

Arriving at the station.



Buying the tickets.



Will the train
ever come?



Lincoln Memorial.

Going down to
the terminal.



More
waiting.



TRIP

Heading for home.



Sign here, please.



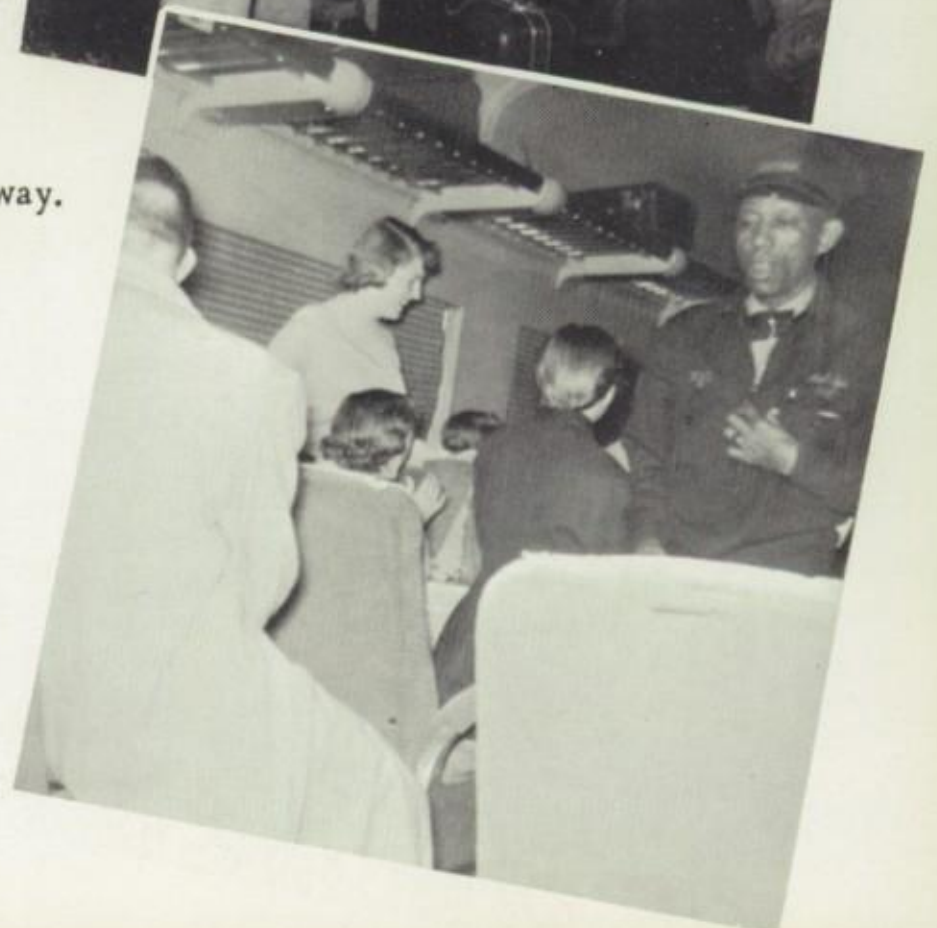
Washington at last!



Another statue!



On our way.



Here she comes.



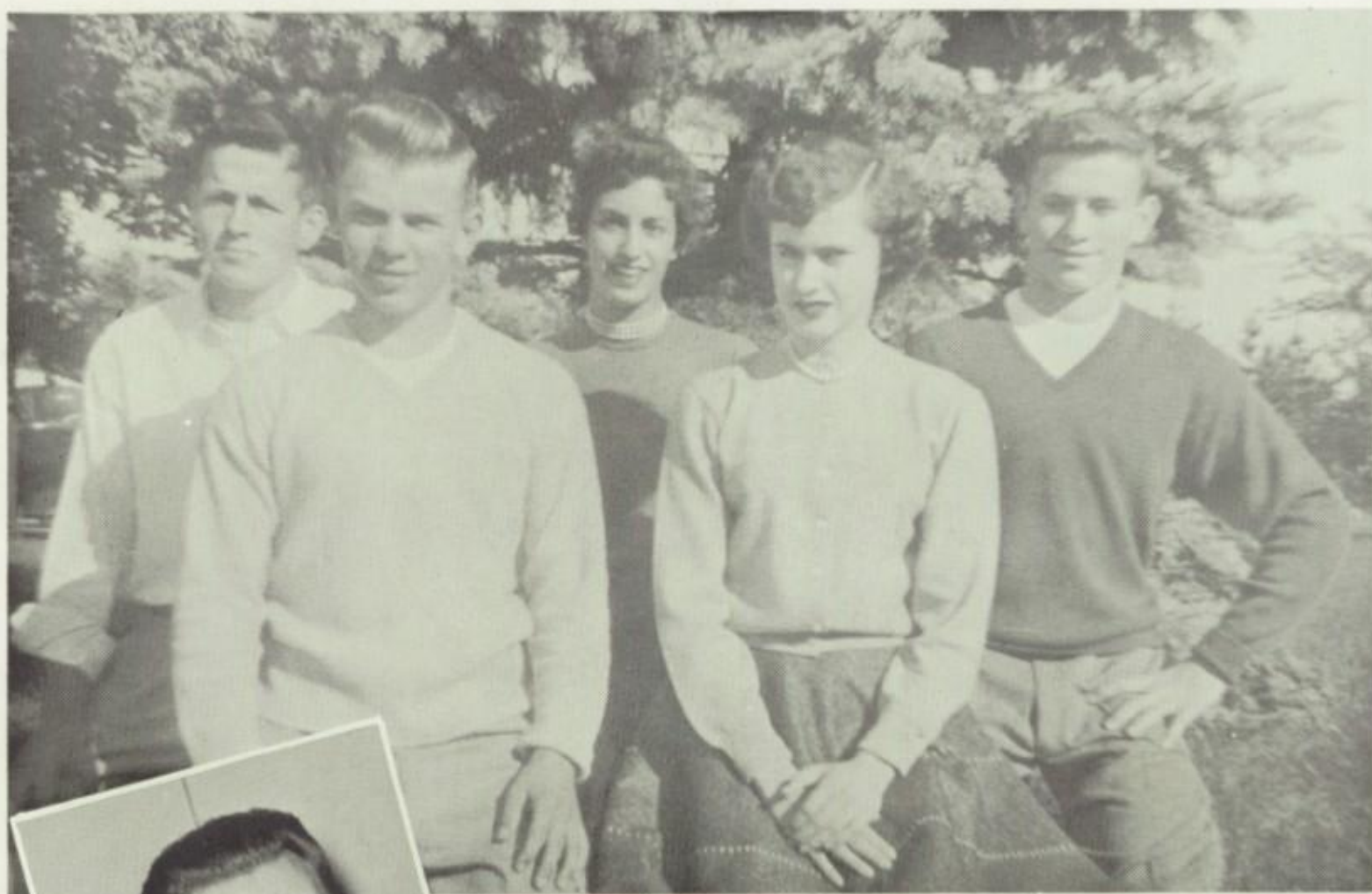




JUNIORS

THE Junior Prom is a once in a life time affair--with its silver slippers and evening bag to match, white shirts with cuff links, and flowers for your favorite date. Yet it typifies all the wonderful activities that are a part of every junior's life.

PUTTING THEIR BEST FOOT FORWARD



Mr. Thad Speier
Advisor

LEFT TO RIGHT: Tom Jenkins, Sergeant-at-Arms; Dick Stagg, President; Connie Campbell, Secretary; Ferne Moores, Vice President; Doug Butler, Treasurer.

AT long last, we had reached our goal as upperclassmen. Our junior year certainly revealed so many more activities and ventures. Success marked our advancement in the activities we undertook.

Entering Whitmer as sophomores, we represented our class with a float, elected an attendant for Homecoming Queen, produced a Sophomore Assembly, gave a Friday night dance, and sponsored a successful bake sale.

During this, our second year at Whitmer, led by our officers, we proceeded with our first project, the building of a class float which won the trophy at the traditional football game.

With Homecoming we elected an attendant to the Queen. Giving a very successful class assembly, we experienced the Christmas "last minute rush!" Our Junior Prom was a date to be remembered in every junior boy and girl's diary. Our class play was a social and scholastic achievement. Once again, we sponsored a bake sale, but our greatest accomplishment was the receiving of our class rings, differing themselves with the sparkle of a blue stone.

Yes, our 11th year of school was very successful and as we left Whitmer for our summer vacations, we looked forward to the coming fall with the confidence that we were ready to occupy the place that the respected seniors had left behind them.

THE CLASS OF "56"

ROW 1: Sharon Abbett, Robert Aitken, David Alt, Frances Amer. ROW 2: Judy Amsden, Fred Anderton, Dolores Arndt, Mark Barton. ROW 3: Donivee Bean, Rosalie Beauregard, Robert Bella, Phyllis Bellfy.



The Ring Committee got their heads together and were responsible for those sparkling rings.

ROW 4: Barbara Benedict, Barbara Benner, Robert Bensch, Dan Bernard, Carol Bishop, Ronald Bluth, Patricia Booth, Harold Borden. ROW 5: Marilyn Bost, Dick Broadway, Sue Brock, JoAnn Brown, Peggy Brown, Chuck Bushey, Doug Butler, Carl Cady. ROW 6: Connie Campbell, Linda Carpenter, Sharon Cermak, Bob Christen, Nancy Couture, Darlene Crabtree, Marilyn Cumishey, Alice Curson. ROW 7: Judy Davis, Don De La Ronde, Orin Dent, Nancy Dodderer. ROW 8: Patricia Doty, Rusty Dresch, Shirley Dresch.



EXCELLING IN SCHOLARSHIP

ROW 1: Bob Driscoll, Donald Dubry, Nancy Easter, Rosemarie Elliot. ROW 2: Beverly Ely, Jewel Emahiser, Marilyn Ewing, Tom Fisher. ROW 3: Barbara Flegle, Marcia Flynn, Edward Foley, Dianne Fornwall.



The Junior-Senior Party Committee planned a party that will be hard to beat.



ROW 4: Joan Fox, Stewart Fraley, David Gallagher, Donna Gallup, Wilbur Garner, Mary Gause, Chuck Gensler, Sara Germain. ROW 5: Wilma Gilhouse, Donald Gochenour, Peggy Gonyer, Ronald Goodyear, Ruth Graves, Tom Grimes, Carol Growden, Glenna Hall. ROW 6: Betty Hallett, Gail Haney, David Hanson, Mary Harbauer, Betty Hartman, Barbara Haverlak, Gary Heckman, David Heigel. ROW 7: Larry Heldt, Bill Helsel, Barbara Herbig, Bonnie Hill. ROW 8: Karen Hingst, Ruth Hoerig, William Hoff, Vicki Hoffmann.

OUTSTANDING IN ACTIVITIES

ROW 1: Iva Hoops, Ken Horner, Martha Housholder, Richard Hubbard. ROW 2: Norma Hughes, Irene Hutchinson, Tom Hutchison, Patricia Jackson. ROW 3: Carlos Jarrin, Tom Jenkins, Barbara Jenne, Marlene Jennewine.



The Play Committee discovered new talent in the Junior class.

ROW 4: Bob Johnston, Martha Keck, Robert Kelly, Sharon Kimberly, Warren Kingsley, Jim Klinger, Beverly Kovacs, Sandra Kreckow. ROW 5: Ellen Kucera, Fred Kunzler, Carol Kurfis, Carla Kurz, James Larrow, Robert Lewandowski, Arthur Lewis, Ethel Lewis. ROW 6: Johanna Lewis, David Link, Sylvia Linton, Rose Mary Liske, William Mack, Karen Marrow, Janice Martin, Judy McCormick. ROW 7: Shirley McKay, Ralph McLeod, Jerry Mercer, Patricia Meredith. ROW 8: Kenneth Miller, Myrna Miller, Russell Miller, Gloria Mittendorf.



COMPLETE THEIR JUNIOR



ROW 1: Sandy Mohr, Michael Moore, Ferne Moores, James Morrison. ROW 2: Linda Mortemore, Barbara Moses, James Murray, Donna Mustafaga. ROW 3: Karl Nachtman, David Neal, Karen Nees, Karol Nees.



This Float Committee secured the winning trophy in the contest!



ROW 4: Jerry Nelson, James Nelson, JoAnne Nelson, William Newell, Robert Nicely, Robert Norris, Robert Oberle, John Ondrus. ROW 5: Bernadine Posadny, Allen Patrick, Rose Perruchon, Joy Peterson, Daria Petrucha, Sylvia Peuhl, William Piriczky, Gustavo Plaz. ROW 6: Kenneth Pollex, Pat Poole, Don Price, Carol Raabe, Lois Rarick, Frances Rice, Roy Ridner, Monte Roberts. ROW 7: Sharon Roop, Raymond Root, Judy Ross, James Scanes. ROW 8: Carol Schick, Rick Schliebner, Richard Schondel, Wesley Seguire.

YEAR AT WHITMER

ROW 1: Patricia Shadday, Nancy Sharp, Nancy Sherrer, Pat Shook. ROW 2: Ruth Shurtz, Carol Slovak, Pat Smalley, Nancy Smith. ROW 3: Betty Snyder, Carole Snyder, Tom Spirko, Ann Stacy.



The biggest event of this class was planned by the Prom Committee and was carried off in triumphant success.

ROW 4: Dick Stagg, Tom Steele, Lillian Stieb, Kathy Stough, Myrle Stratton, Ken Streb, Ella May Sutton, Jim Sutton. ROW 5: Barbara Tassell, Margaret Tesznar, Karen Thaler, Judy Thyer, Nancy Toolooze, Bob Van Karsen, Donna Vernier, Jim Vogelsang. ROW 6: Marilyn Walker, Sue Warren, Carol Wauford, Bill Weber, Alice Werdehoff, Jill Whiteman, Wanda Whitmill, Sandra Wilson. ROW 7: Gerald Winland, Carol Wolfe, Judy Workman, Delight Wotring. Absentees - Sam Davie, Donna Graham, Sonny Ladd, Patricia Lenart, Shirley Renninger, La Vern Showalter.

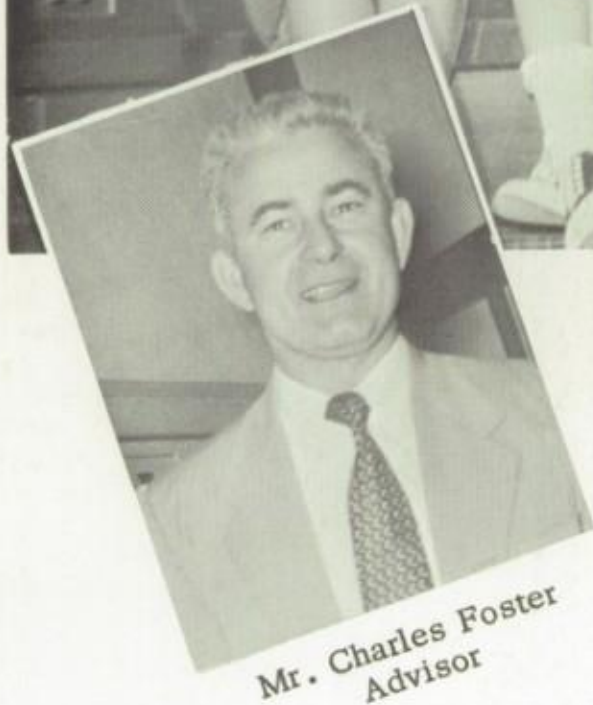




SOPHOMORES

THE silver watch and the silver identification bracelet that the sophomores, newest Whitmerites, wore when they entered school in the fall symbolized all the new and exciting experiences they met. With hands firmly clasped, the sophomores accepted the challenge of their high school days.

HISTORY IN THE MAKING



Mr. Charles Foster
Advisor

LEFT TO RIGHT: Thelma Werr, Secretary; Jean Ziemki, Vice President; Tom Molik, Sergeant-at-Arms; Sally Hoagland, Treasurer; Kay Hehl, President.

SEPTEMBER 4, 1944, the class of 1957 had its origin in the surrounding areas of Shoreland, Wernert, Trilby, Westwood, Horace Mann, and Hopewell.

September, 1954, was here and we were entering Whitmer as sophomores. At first we were lost and felt odd in the wide halls, but with the help of the faculty and upperclassmen we finally settled down to a fine start.

One of the first things we were honored to do at Whitmer was to choose a queen for our Homecoming and to present a float.

Later in the year we were kept busy producing our Sophomore Assembly.

With the help of Mr. Foster, our class advisor, we hope to continue our fine beginning at Whitmer for the next two years.

CLASS OF "57"

ROW 1: John Adler, Neal Allen, James Ansted, Peggy Arnold, George Baringer, Elfriede Bauck. ROW 2: Adeline Baugh, Glen Baumhower, Barbara Bennett, Harold Bennett, Kathryn Bergstrom, Virginia Bernard. ROW 3: Judy Biker, Jane Borchardt, Janet Bowles, Donna Bowman, Cliff Brown, Wendelyn Buffington.



ROW 4: Jim Bukowski, Beverly Burnham, Fred Burton, Judy Bushey, Dan Cain, Fred Cappelletty. ROW 5: Jerry Clifton, Ella Closs, Carol Coleman, Jack Coleman, Jim Conover, Judy Copeland. ROW 6: Doug Cornell, Don Cowdrey, Dennis Cowell, Sharon Crawford, Bill Crozier, Carolyn Dallas.



ROW 7: Bill Dangremond, Carl Davis, Jan Davis, John Delabona, Carol DeRose, Larry Dexter. ROW 8: Raymond Dix, Darlene Doerfler, Frank Doniere, Bill Donnelly, Jeannette Ebersole, Leland Ebersole. ROW 9: Elizabeth Eldridge, Dora Eldred, Douglas Erwin, Betty Etts, Pat Ewearitt, Nancy Fisher.



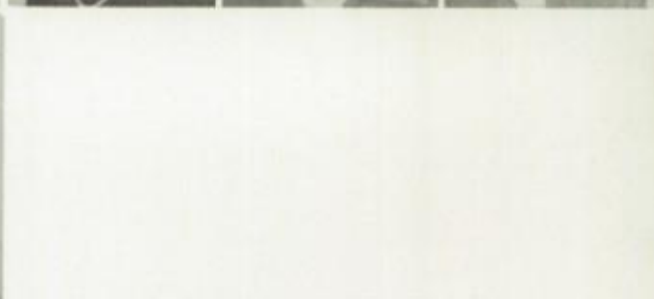
HAVING COMPLETED



ROW 1: Mary Flegle, Lela Flick, Fred Folger, Gary Ford, Phillip Fosgate, Harold Freeman. ROW 2: Darlene Fritz, Marilyn Furney, Bernard Garrah, Robert Garner, Joan Giese, Karolyn Gilbert. ROW 3: Sally Gillette, Brenda Glattes, Judy Glynn, Bob Gochenour, Gary Godbey, Beverly Gokey.



ROW 4: Sue Gorrell, Louise Grewe, Alan Hadlock, Edward Hakeos, Angeline Hale, Ronnie Hall. ROW 5: Dick Hamilton, Vaughn Hammye, Arthur Hatch, Russ Haube, Fred Houck, Sandra Haverstock. ROW 6: Bob Hayes, Erwin Heer, Sandra Heffley, Kay Hehl, Gary Henry, Bill Herring.



ROW 7: Phil Hines, Charmayne Hinds, Mark Hitchcock, Sally Hoagland, Phyllis Hoerig, Pat Holden. ROW 8: Robert Holder, Nancy Howe, Sandra Huber, Judy Huff, Judy Huffer, Ken Huling. ROW 9: Helen Hunt, Dwayne Jeffrey, JoAnn Johnson, Charles Jones, Don Kellermeyer, Tom Kellermeyer.

MANY ACTIVITIES

ROW 1: John Kibbey, Robert Kingsley, Jim Kirk, Tom Kochendorfer, Jean Koepke, Sharon Koester. ROW 2: Carol Kolb, Richard Korn, Sue Kreutzfeld, Barbara Krolak, Sharon Kron, Roger Krueger. ROW 3: Katherine Kuhn, Sharon Laney, Larry LaVigne, Jack Lehsten, Karen Leidel, Carol Lengel.



ROW 4: Diane Linler, Shirley Locke, Sunny Lupton, Ronald Lynch, Bob Mack, Jerry Mallett. ROW 5: Sue Marchant, Barbara Martini, Barbara Martin, Raymond Marvin, Jerry Mason, Ben McConnell. ROW 6: Sharon McCormick, Priscilla McKay, Judy Meredith, Norma Meyer, Barbara Miller, Dean Miller.



ROW 7: Pat Miller, Pat Miller, Nancy Mills, Carole Milosh, Carl Mock, Tom Molik. ROW 8: Bob Montgomery, Claude Morrette, Judy Morrette, Janet Morrison, Ronald Mortemore, Reggie Moxley. ROW 9: Karl Mustafaga, Charles Nelson, Bill Nickels, Tom Nohl, Gary Noviski, Karyl Olsen.





LOOKING FORWARD

ROW 1: Sandra Paquette, Norman Patterson, Pat Patterson, Janice Pellek, Ginny Petrucha, Sandra Pertner. ROW 2: Sylvia Philabaum, Lyman Phillips, Larry Pilzecker, Paul Piotrowski, Phyllis Pugh, Judy Putnam. ROW 3: Carolee Quick, Bonita Rahilly, Beverly Rahm, Jack Reese, Linda Regnier, Pat Reisener.



ROW 4: Marilyn Rhoads, Herman Rone, Jean Roper, James Roscher, Joan Rose, Sylvia Rowe. ROW 5: Elaine Rule, Jay Rutschow, Jack Saddoris, Deborah Sheffield, Pat Schiffer, Nancy Schultz. ROW 6: Don Schweibold, Sharlene Scofield, Dick Slovak, Charlotte Smith, Judy Smith, Leo Smith.



ROW 7: Sandra Smith, Terry Smith, Rita Snyder, Ronald Spalding, Jim Speer, Fran Squires. ROW 8: Jim Stagg, Bailey Stanbery, Tom Stanley, Jerry Suchy, Joyce Swartz, Sheila Sweeney. ROW 9: Jack Swy, James Tassell, Dick Tattersall, Norman Taylor, Karo Thatchor, Janice Tippie.



TO FUTURE YEARS

ROW 1: Mary Tolland, Sue Toolooze, Dan Tschan, Ray Trznadel, Jim Turner, Leslee Van Dyke. ROW 2: Jim Vischer, Charles Wadsworth, Karlene Wagner, Harold Ward, Marlene Warren, Janet Webley. ROW 3: Richard Webley, Joyce Weidaw, Thelma Werr, Jim White, Melva Whitmill, Dudley Williams.



ROW 4: Howard Williams, Becky Wilson, Jeanette Winland, Judy Whitaker, Lauralle Woolaver, Jean Ziemke. ROW 5: Linda Zillien, Jack Zink.

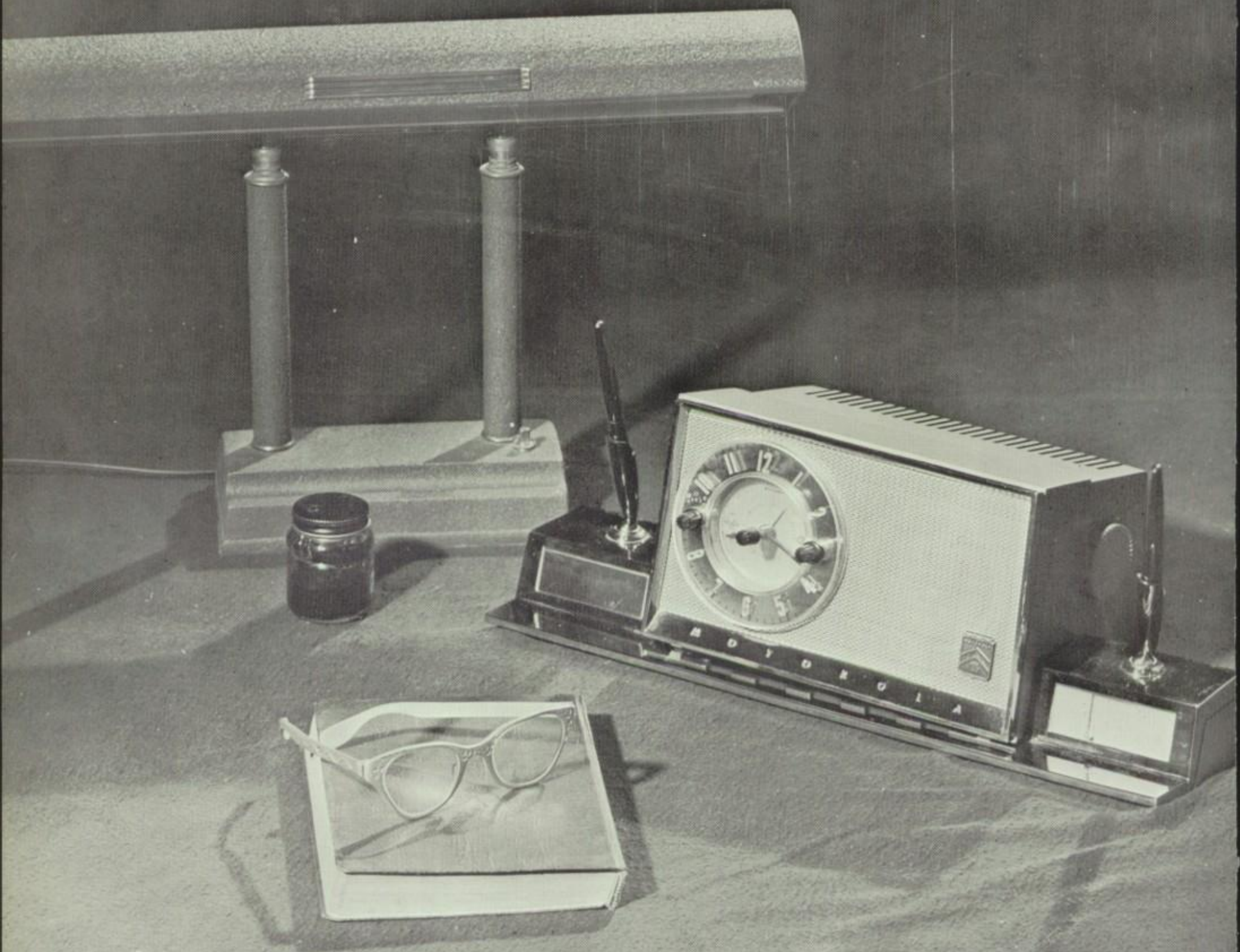
Sophomores join with school in supporting activities.

Spring cleaning proves newest problem for Whitmerites.



Lower classmen admire trophies of past years.



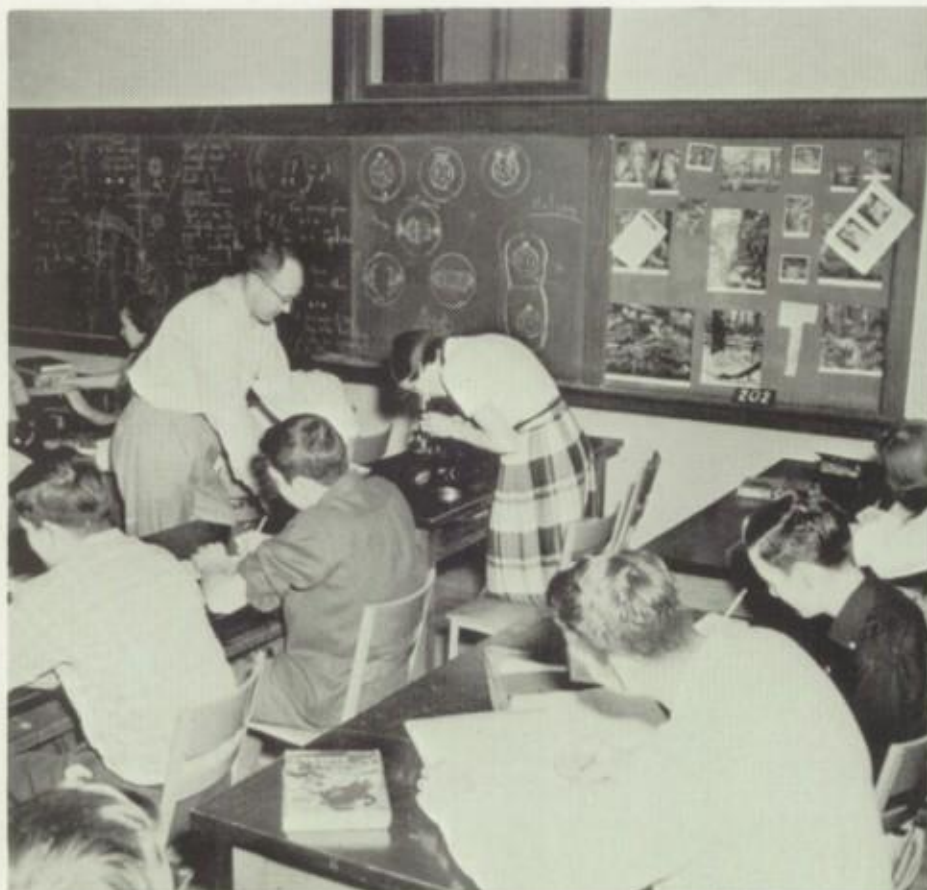




CLASSES

8:55 **W**ITH the ringing of the bell,
the school day began . Whether the
student attends gym, history, or
English class he was acquiring more
knowledge and meeting new experi-
ences . These things did not come in
one period, for the student's day goes
beyond the classroom and into his
home where he spent many hours
preparing his lessons .

SCIENTIFICALLY-MINDED



Janice Pelleck gets her chance at the microscope.



Physics (FIZ-IKS) the science which deals with those phenomena of inanimate matter involving no changes in chemical composition. Agreed?

BIOLOGY, Physics, and Chemistry are three important subjects of the Physical Science Department. For the students planning technical careers in the field of natural sciences they are a must. In Biology students study life on three levels - plant, animal, and human. They may then take Advanced Biology which is much more detailed. Chemistry and Physics offer the students an opportunity to work in the laboratory and to see first hand many of the things they study. For a general background in the science field students may take Physical Science.

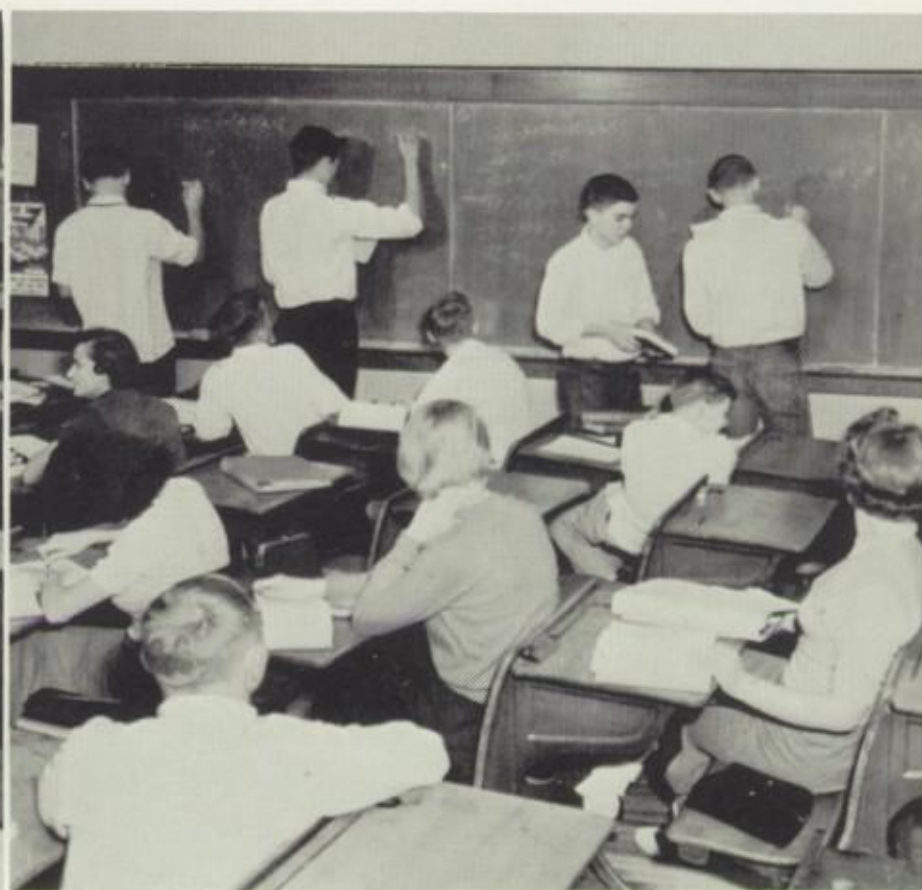


The Chemistry class works on a new formula-- $2C_2H_2 + 5O_2 \rightarrow 4CO_2 + 2H_2O$. Witchcraft?

STUDENTS



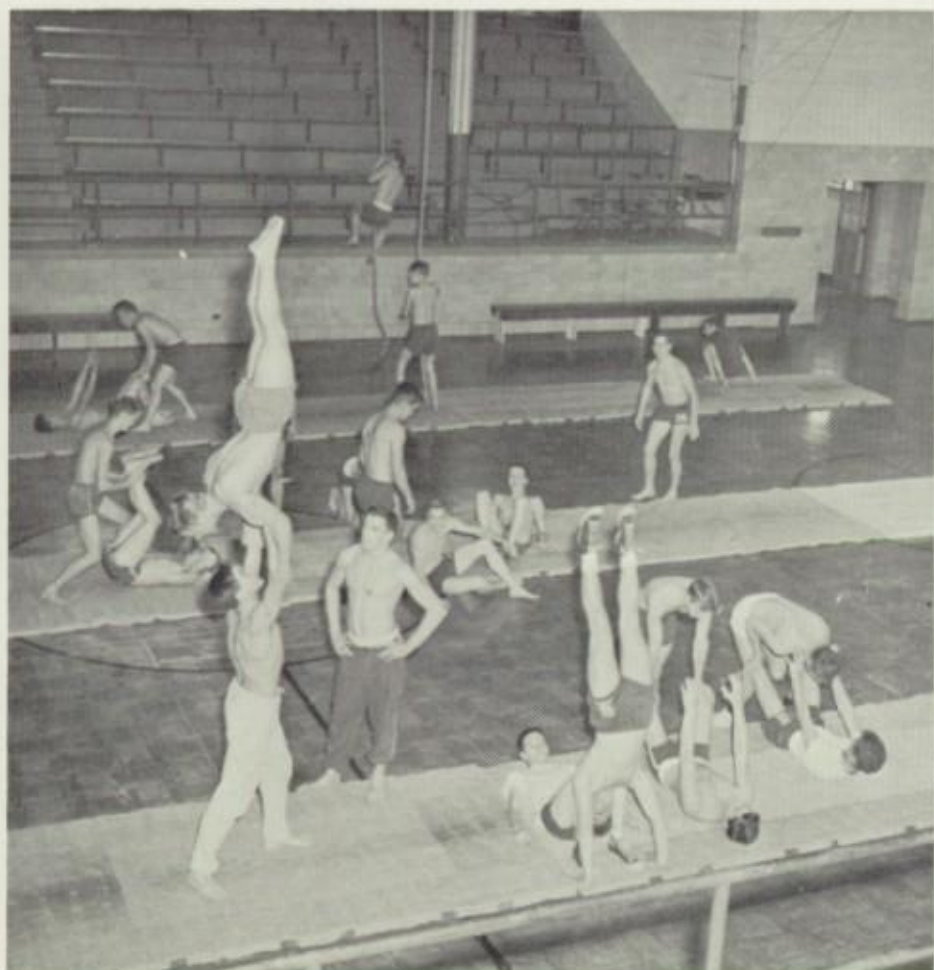
Geometry proves interesting. Don't they look interested?



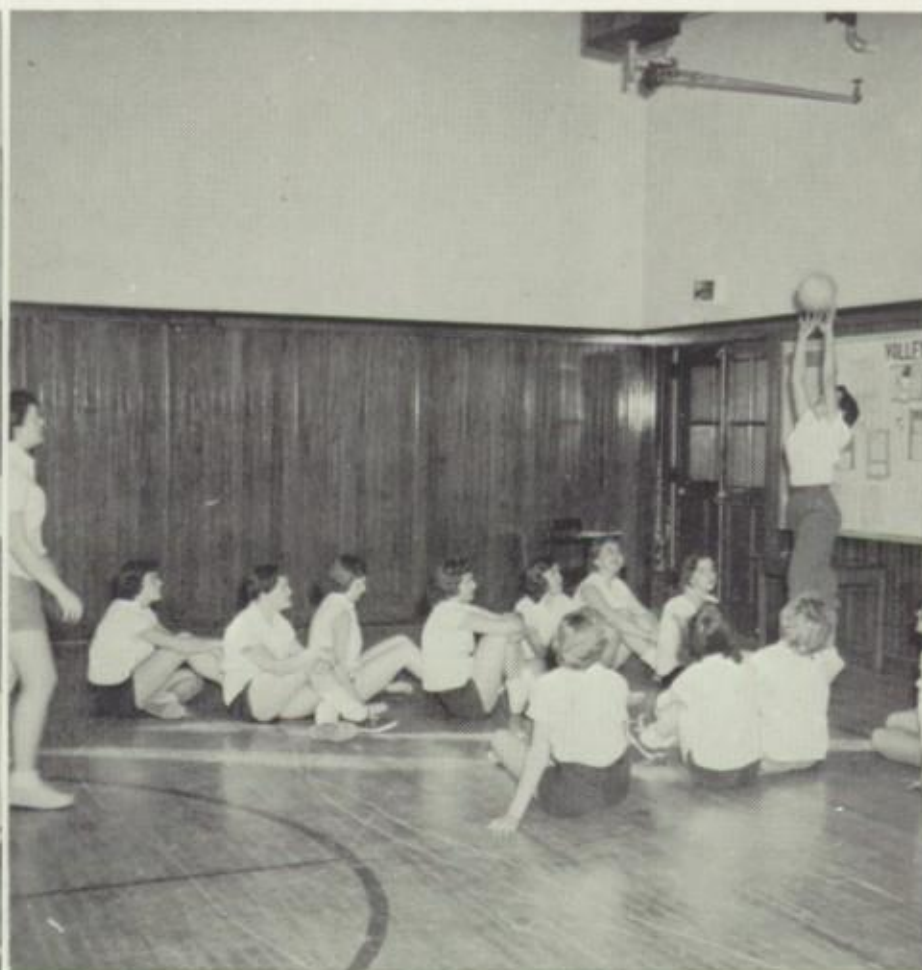
Algebra enthusiasts are always willing to display their mathematical techniques to the whole class.

ALGEBRA introduces the student to formulas and equations. He may then go on to Geometry which aims at developing clear thinking. Advanced courses, including Solid Geometry, Advanced Algebra, and Trigonometry, are offered to those students preparing for college mathematics or engineering. In General Mathematics students get a taste of Algebra combined with more general problem solving. General Mathematics II, a new addition to the curriculum this year, is a course open only to seniors.

Physical Education, taken by both boys and girls, teaches students health and good sportsmanship. Teams are chosen which compete with one another all through the year. Boys and girls' classes combine to present the Annual Circus--- this year an outstanding show.



Jerr man, if you drop me, I've had it!



Little Miss Bires stretches to show her volleyball ability to one of her gym classes.

FUTURE CRAFTSMEN AND



A steady hand is a must in Mechanical Drawing.



In Woodshop the first requirement is a good sanding.

THE Shop courses at Whitmer are among the best. Woodshop students learn the necessary safety precautions, wood finishing, and the operation and care of power tools. Mechanical Drawing's object is to give students problems illustrating drawing fundamentals. They are taught that in every drawing accuracy and neatness is essential. Boys who take Trades and Industries learn how to operate a lathe, a drill press, and many other pieces of machinery. After graduation, with no further training, these students are well qualified to work in a shop or even start one of their own.



T & I boys become skillful craftsmen.

HOMEMAKERS

THE Home Economics courses cover important phases of a girl's future. A background in sewing, whether a girl becomes a homemaker or a career girl, will solve many clothing problems. Cooking is a course where boys as well as girls may be seen. They not only learn to cook but are given pointers on how to buy kitchen equipment. Home Management and Home Furnishings provide clever inexpensive ideas for the home. Problems of rearing a family and meeting emergencies in the home are discussed in Home Nursing and Child Development.



Girls in Home Management carry out ideas for the home.



Sewing class prepares for forthcoming pajama parties.

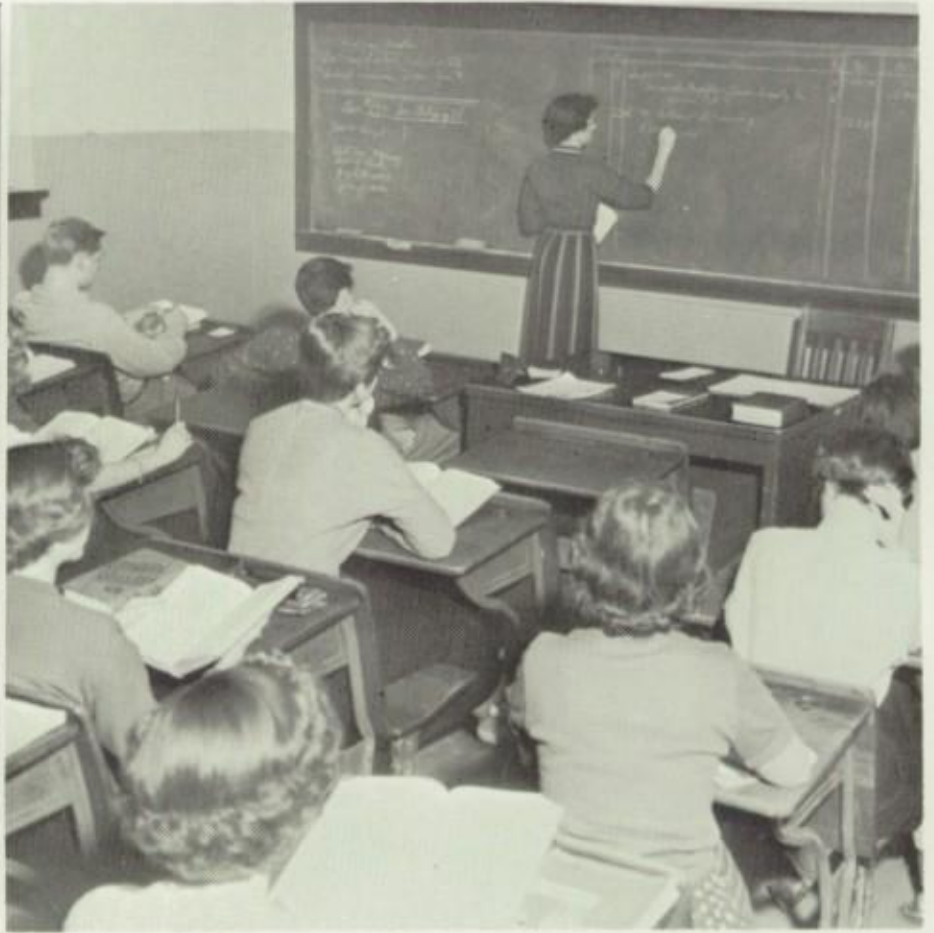


Gary McCaw demonstrates to the rest of the class his ability as a cook.

SKILLED STUDENTS FROM DILIGENT WORK



The quick brown fox jumped over the lazy dog. asdfjkl;



Why are my debits more than my credits?



FUTURE business executives receive a broad training in Whitmer's Business Department. Bookkeeping students learn how to keep a record of their money or business transaction so that they can refer back to it at anytime. Besides learning how to type with accuracy and speed, the typing students learn how to take proper care of the machine. Any student who plans to attend college or work in a office will find typing very useful. Sales students learn how to write ads, demonstrate their products, learn the right approach to their customers and many other details which go with good salesmanship. Junior Business Training was added this year. These students, beginning in business, are given an introduction to all courses in this department.

BETTER CITIZENS THROUGH THE SOCIAL SCIENCES



First the fundamentals, then the driving.



So that's where I got my complex!

EVERY student at Whitmer takes subjects from the Social Science Department. Psychology students concern themselves with the mysteries of the mind and emotions. A greater appreciation of our country is gained by the students through their study of American History. World History students learn of man's great achievements from the time of the early Egyptians. American Government is required for seniors before they graduate. Besides these classes Law, Economics, and Family Living are also a part of the Social Science Department.

Whitmer's Driver Training course teaches proper attitudes toward driving and a knowledge of driving laws. Completing the course, the competent student receives his driver's license.



Columbus discovered America in 1492.

FLUENT TALKERS AND WRITERS



No prize without a struggle in speech work.



Iamque opus exigi - And now I have finished my (Latin) work.



Junior English class begin their term papers.

WHITMER sophomores and juniors are required to take English. In these classes the student uses his knowledge of grammar in creative writing and speaking. He works to increase his vocabulary and learns to appreciate good literature. English IV is an elective course for seniors, primarily designed for the student who is going to college. It stresses creative writing and appreciation of English literature.

Latin strengthens English grammar background and increases word power. In Spanish classes equal emphasis is put on literature and grammar.

HELPFUL COUNCIL



THE LIBRARY COUNCIL in their favorite haunt: Donivee Bean, Frances Rice, Darlene Fritz, Iva Hoops, Bradley Ball, Mike Moore, Dick Huffer, Tony Farnsworth, Jim Klinger, Cliff Whitenburg, Carolyn Keller, Pat Jackson, Pat Shook, Louise Rule, Jim Combs, Jerry Cox, Miss Elizabeth Louise Brown, Librarian. SEATED: Gloria Mittendorf, Marilyn Nicely, Carol Hoffman.

LIBRARY COUNCIL

WHITMER High School Library Council under the supervision of Miss Elizabeth Brown keeps the library in efficient order. Each Council member has to have a C Average. They attend a staff meeting every Thursday morning during homeroom. Each member works in the library three hours a week, plus homeroom. The twenty-five members get regular assignments and learn the fundamentals of library work.

The main project of the Council this year was the biennial Book Bazaar. It was student organized and the members participated in selling of books. The money made from this project was used to buy better equipment and new books for the library.



Browsing at the Book Bazaar was a wonderful pastime.



Let knowledge grow; let life be enriched.

HARDWORKING

Pat Rankin, Walter Rochvon
Rochsburg, Kate Rapp, Mr.
Alvarado.



BACKGROUND: Pat Rankin, Assistant Editor; Bob Albright, Reporter; Gail Jones, Sports Editor; Walter Rochvon Rochsburg, Editor in Chief. FOREGROUND: Cliff Whitenburg, Reporter; Tony Farnsworth, Feature Editor; Kenneth Miller, Reporter; Joanne Conover, News Editor; Judy Richards, Reporter and Typist; Kate Rapp, Managing Editor; Paul McAtee, Reporter; Joanne Tynefield, Society Editor.

THE FLYING W

WITH Walter Rochvon Rochsburg as their Editor and energetic Mr. Alvarado as the Advisor, the Flying W got off to a "Flying" start. The editors did some experimenting with printing photographs in the newspaper while the reporters worked diligently to meet deadlines.



Joanne Tynefield, Tony Farnsworth, Joanne Conover, Gail Jones, Mr. Alvarado.

JOURNALISTS



Wilma Delph, Photography Editor; Delilah Grabach, Assistant Editor; D'Arcy Orde, Editor in Chief; Pat Sloan, Copy Editor; Miss Miller, Advisor.

Lloyd Otto, Business Manager; Dave Turner, Sales Manager; Tim McCullough, Advertising Manager.



THE ORACLE

"A BETTER book for 55" was the motto of the yearbook staff. With the help of Miss Joyce Miller, Advisor, the staff worked long hours before, during, and after school to make their anniversary edition one of the best in the annals of Whitmer.

John Ondrus, Assistant Photographer; Carol Mrozinski, Bookkeeper; Carol Whitney, Senior Editor; Darry Leathers, Sports Editor; Dianne Fornwall, Activities; Barb Carlile, Activities Editor; Eddie Ray, Classroom Editor; Gail Haney, Sophomore and Junior Editor; Marilyn Bost, Layout Editor, Absentees; Carol Cain, Girls' Sports Editor; Milly Wallace, Typist; Chuck Gensler, Assistant Sports Editor.







ACTIVITIES

A CTIVITIES at Whitmer were many and varied this year . They ranged from the afternoon tea given by the Library Council to the cheering pep sessions sponsored by the clubs . With the advice of the administration, these activities made Whitmer's halls ring with laughter and turned out well rounded students eager to take part in their community's affairs .

COUNCIL ORGANIZES STUDENT GOVERNMENT



SITTING: Allen Patrick, Vice-President; Pat Rankin, President; Joanne Tynefield, Treasurer; Jim Foels, Judge; Lloyd Otto, Sportsmanship Representative; and Joyce Weidaw, Secretary.

Joanne Tynefield, Jim Foels, Allen Patrick, Pat Rankin, Joyce Weidaw, Judy Morrette, Linda Garrett, Carol Slovak, Sharon Laney, Marilyn Bost, Sue Warren, Mary Harbauer, and Lloyd Otto.

It is a rare day when the Student Council receives all the credit due to them. Behind the scenes of almost every major activity, such as the magazine drive, you will find the Student Council. Whenever you heard "Don't boo! That's bad sportsmanship," you could be sure it was a council member working on the Sportsmanship campaign. In January the majority of their time was consumed in preparation of The March of Dimes Benefit Show. Showing their executive ability, the Student Council, with the help of F. T. A. and the faculty, ran Whitmer for their annual Student Government Day. For this act they received city-wide recognition by having their pictures in the Blade.



Donna Decker takes over Mrs. Fontaine's classes on Student Government Day.

OUTSTANDING STUDENTS GAIN DISTINCTION

NEWLY INSTALLED MEMBERS, ROW 1: Bob Norris, Jack Clifton, Louie Regnier, Jim Zink, Dick Stagg, John Ansted. ROW 2: Louise Reger, Natalie Smith, Nancy Upp, Linda Garrett, Judy Richards, Ann Stacy, Linda Drake, Shirley Alford, Marilyn Bost, Carol Slovak. ROW 3: Mary Louise Harget, Pat Shook, Beverly Quick, Donna Ritzenthaler, Dianne Fornwall, Doug Butler, Connie Campbell, Daryl Puterbaugh, John Rideout, Sue Warren, Lloyd Otto, Wilma Delph, Pat Poole, Cynthia Meinders, Shari Abbett. Absentees: Sue Alexander, Allen Patrick, and Carol Wegener.



ROW 1: Don Kendall, David Borman, President; Louise Rule, Treasurer; Jim Foels, Dolores Cristaldi, Secretary; Joanne Conover. ROW 2: Bob Conners, Vice-President; Mrs. Fontaine, Advisor; Delores Loeffler, Sharon Stahl, Pat Rankin, JoAnn Tynefield, Donna Decker.

AT last the day had come and the proud new members of Honor Society could be seen sporting their blue and white ribbons, the badge of Honor Society. They were now a proud part of this outstanding group of young people who contribute so much to the school in character, leadership, scholarship and service.

This year the Whitmer chapter of National Honor Society participated in forming an Area Honor Society, gave a dance, had a Christmas party at Mrs. Fontaine's, and took a trip to Greenfield Village in the spring. Working with the Student Council, they promoted the idea of a special student cheering section at games.



Whitmer Honor Society helps induct the newly formed Bedford Honor Society.

SPEECH MAKERS AND WRITERS



QUILL & SCROLL - ROW 1: Pat Rankin, Secretary; JoAnn Tynefield, Gerry Shinabery, Treasurer; JoAnn Conover, Vice President; Judy Richards. ROW 2: D'Arcy Orde, Kate Rapp, President; Carol Mrozinski, Carol Whitney. ROW 3: Lloyd Otto, Wilma Delph, Mr. Alvarado, Advisor; Pat Sloan, Tony Farnsworth, Walter Roch von Rochsburg, Gail Jones, Tim McCullough.

QUILL & SCROLL

THIS school year marked another very active one for the Honorary Society of High School Journalists.

Other than their traditional initiation for seniors and juniors, they sponsored an after game dance and also sold shakers at some of the athletic events.

MASQUE & GAVEL

MASQUE & GAVEL was reorganized this year. If, during the year, there is a need for a student speaker at lyceums or at an assembly, the speaker is chosen from this honorary organization.

The members are chosen from juniors and seniors who have done outstanding speech work.



MASQUE & GAVEL: Allen Patrick, President; Mr. Heckman, Advisor; Ruth Shurtz, Doug Butler, Sergeant at Arms; Marilyn Bost, Vice President; Connie Campbell, Secretary-Treasurer; Marilyn Ewing, Dick Stagg, Pat Rankin.

BRING HONORS TO WHITMER



PRINCE OF PEACE CONTESTANTS - ROW 1: Harold Bennett, Dick Stagg, Marilyn Bost, Marilyn Ewing. ROW 2: Dwayne Jeffrey, Iva Hoops, Donna Bowman, Allen Patrick. ROW 3: Gary Godbey, Connie Campbell, Doug Butler, Janet Bowles.

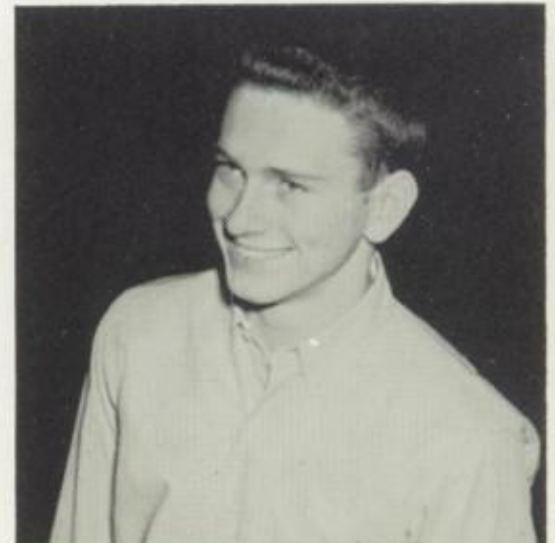


CONNIE CAMPBELL
1st place, Church of Our Saviour

PRINCE OF PEACE

EARLY in the school year plans for the Annual Prince of Peace Contest are begun. Any sophomore, junior, or senior is eligible by memorizing a two page speech. The speeches are on World Peace with a religious point of view. In November the local contest is held in neighboring churches in the community. The winners of these contests are then advanced to the district contest, where they compete with winners from other schools. The winners can keep advancing till they reach the state finals, where scholarships are given to the contestants.

This year, even though Whitmer contestants did not gain any district honors, some very promising speakers were discovered. Participants were juniors and sophomores. With this year's experience behind them the state finals seem within next year's reach.



DOUG BUTLER
1st place, Trilby Methodist



JANET BOWLES
1st place, Lutheran Reformation



DONNA BOWMAN
1st place, Central Methodist

FUN AND SERVICE

STANDING: Judy Morrette, Thelma Werr, Vice President; Sally Hoagland, Phyllis Pugh, Becky Wilson, Ginny Petrucha, Marlene Warren, Peggy Arnold, Wendelyn Buffington, Judy Bushey, Sandra Huber, Rita Snyder, Pat Schiffer, Carol De Rose. SITTING: Janet Morrison, Jeanette Winland, Carolyn Dallas, Jo Ann Johnson, Sandra Heffley, Jean Roper, Judy Whitaker.



SOPHOMORE Y-Teens was newly organized in December at Whitmer, when they elected officers. Efficient meetings came as a result of their study of parliamentary procedure.

A careful examination of the Y.W.C.A. and how it works, prepared them for worthwhile activities in the future.



STANDING: Sharon Crawford, Nancy Schultz, Sandra Pertner, Karyl Olsen, Judy Huffer, Carol Kolb, Elizabeth Eldridge, Donna Bowman, Deborah Sheffield, Joyce Swartz, Janet Bowles, Sharon Koester, Sharon Kron, Carol Lengel, Lauralle Woolaver, Treasurer; Barbara Krolak, Marilyn Rhodes, Miss Kern, Advisor; Joyce Weidaw, Representative. SITTING: Judy Putnam, Secretary; Sue Gorrell, Judy Smith, Judy Biker, Barbara Martin, Bonita Rahilly, President; Carollee Quick.

OFFERED BY Y-TEENS

ROW 1, SITTING: Carol Schick, Rusty Dresch, Marilyn Bost, Judy Workman, Representative; Dianne Fornwall, Carol Nees, Delores Arndt, Carol Growden, Ellen Kucera, Sylvia Puehl, Irene Hutchinson, Ferne Moores, Sue Warren, President; Connie Campbell. ROW 2, STANDING: Carla Kurz, Mrs. Shockey, Advisor; Francis Amer, Secretary; Martha Housholder, Beverly Ely, Jill Whiteman, Carol Slovak.



JUNIOR Y-Teens started off with a bang. First there was a roll call week, then the big dance in November sponsored by the area Y-Teens, and the

after game dance they sponsored in December. The juniors, second year here was a real success.



ROW 1, SITTING: Pat Shadday, Judy Thyer, Mary Harbauer, Jo Ann Brown, Gail Haney, Beverly Kovacs, Sharon Kimberly, Mary Gause, Nancy Easter. ROW 2, SITTING: Maryln Walker, Treasurer; Karen Nees, Shirley Mc Kay, Carol Snyder, Delight Wotring, Linda Carpenter, Vice President. ROW 3, STANDING: Betty Hallett, Lois Rarick, Marlene Jennewine, Karen Hingst, Donna Vernier, Rosie Beauregard, Peggy Brown, Judy Davis, Devotional Chairman; Sue Brock, Karen Marrow.

"Y" GROUPS PLAN AND



SENIOR Y-TEENS, ROW 1, LEFT TO RIGHT: Jeanne Nelson, Devotional Chairman; Marilyn Schmidlin, D'Arcy Orde, Norma Thompson, Delilah Grabach, Carol Cain, Carol Mrozinski, Addie Bennett, Cathy Smith, Gerry Shinabery, Jackie Schiffer, Sue Alexander, Mitzi Gardner, Vice President; Georgia Green, Jo Tynefield, President; Carol Wegener, Laura Jane Bell, Treasurer. ROW 2, LEFT TO RIGHT: Miss Peters, Advisor; Linda Garrett, Barb Carlile, Sharon Bartley, Gail Delph, Sharon Stahl, Joyce Splittgerber, Natalie Smith, Diane Overhulse, Pat Rankin, Sharon Waite, Carol Whitney, Wendy Gardner, Donna Ritzenthaler, Barb Crayne, Margie Petz, Beverly Quick, Representative; Judy Richards, Wilma Delph, Helen Dittman. Absentee: Nancy Upp, Secretary.

SENIOR Y-TEENS

"HAVE a good time!" That is exactly what the Senior Y-Teens did this year.

This year was high-lighted by a hay ride they sponsored with Senior Hi-Y. They also prepared a

Thanksgiving basket for a needy family, provided refreshments for the patients at Toledo State Hospital, sponsored an after game dance, and had a splash party.



SENIOR HI-Y, ROW 1, LEFT TO RIGHT: Doug Butler, Dick Stagg, Vice President; Louie Reigner, Secretary; Larry Binkley, Myrle Stratton, Eddie Hoff, Tom Steele. ROW 2: Ralph McLeod, Tom Hutchison, Mark Barton, Fred Anderton, Ronnie Bluth, Allen Patrick, Bill Murnen. ROW 3: Jerry Wager, Harold Borden, Dave Alt, Russ Miller, Larry Frontz, Terry Allen, Jim Zink, Tom Grasley. Absentee: Waldo Marlett, Treasurer.

FULFILL ANOTHER BIG YEAR



Mr. Smith, Senior Hi-Y Advisor and Mr. Kaczmarek, Junior Hi-Y Advisor.

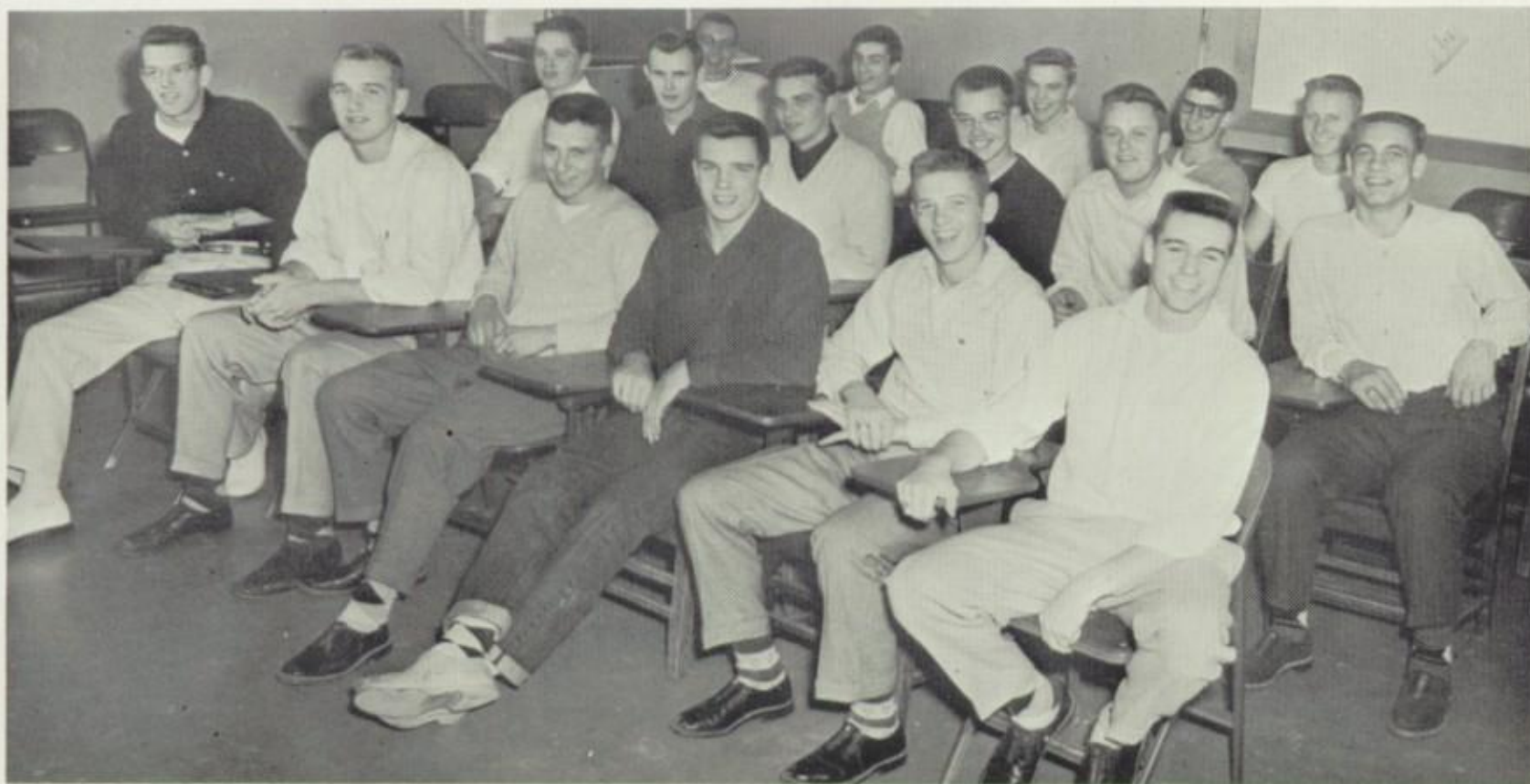
JUNIOR HI-Y, ROW 1, LEFT TO RIGHT: Jack Coleman, John Dellabona, John Adler, Jim Conover, Danny Tschan, Ronald Spalding, Dean Miller, Paul Piotrowski. ROW 2: Roger Krueger, Herman Rone, Larry Dexter, Ray Marvin, Bob Mack, Jerry Mallett, Secretary; Dick Tattersall, Jim Stagg, Vice President. ROW 3: Mark Hitchcock, Jack Zink, Charles Jones, Russ Haube, Dan Cain, Tom Molik, Ronald Mortemore, Fred Burton, President; Ronald Lynch, Reggie Moxley. ROW 4: Robert Montgomery, Jim Christy, Richard Slovak, Dick Hamilton, Howard Williams, Clifford Brown, Tom Stanley, Glen Baumhower, Treasurer; Karl Mustafaga, Larry La Vigne.

THE Senior Hi-Y and the Junior Hi-Y are organizations of the Y.M.C.A. They are inspired by their motto, "To create, maintain, and extend throughout the school community, high standards of Christian Character."

The Hi-Y working jointly with Y-Teens produced inspiring religious assemblies this year.

A hay ride in November with Y-Teens combining with the Senior Hi-Y was a big social event of the year.

A varied sports program at the Y was carried on by the Hi-Y's and donations to children's homes were made by the groups.



SENIOR HI-Y, ROW 1, LEFT TO RIGHT: Jack Clifton, President; Dave Borman, Chuck Gensler, Devotional Chairman; Tim McCullough, Richard Digby, Darry Leathers. ROW 2: Bill Mack, Tom Riggs, Tom Grimes, Bob Norris, Bob Bench, Jim Foels. ROW 3: Lloyd Otto, Jim Scanes, Bill Tattersall, John Smith, Dave Turner.



THE WINNING JUNIOR FLOAT

AN unusual turn of events sparked Whitmer's annual float contest this year.

The juniors took the winning prize of the evening with their theme as the "Horn of Plenty."

Along with a parade, the floats were presented at half time during the Whitmer-Rossford football game.

The seniors' entry was "Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs" and the sophomores', "Lil Abner."

SENIOR FLOAT



Marilyn Bost, junior, received the trophy for their winning float from Mr. Sams, representing the Side-line Quarterbacks.

SOPHOMORE FLOAT



FOOTBALL PAGEANTRY

AS the sound of the Heralds and their bugles resounded in the background, the 1954 homecoming queen and her attendants were driven to their thrones on October 29, before the game with Maumee.

After reigning at the game, the queen, Sharon Bartley, and her attendants, Delight Wotring, junior, and Sharon Laney, sophomore, went to the girls' gym where they also reigned at the homecoming dance.



Sharon Bartley, Homecoming Queen, is escorted to her throne by Jim Foels.

Delight Wotring, junior attendant, Sharon Bartley, Queen, and Sharon Laney, sophomore attendant, reigned at the game and dance.



TO DEVELOP SKILLS IS THEIR GOAL



PROJECTION CLUB - ROW 1: Kenny Horner, Jim Fye, Elaine Rule, Secretary; Jerry Suchy, Tom Stanley. ROW 2: Fred Burton, Don Price, Wesley Seguire, Jim Combs, Larry Merrick, Tom Molik, Mark Hitchcock. ROW 3: Lyman Phillips, Richard Brown, Raymond Root, Bill Pirczsky, Bernard Jarrah, Tom Fisher. ROW 4: Bill Mack, Vice President; Harold Borden, Russ Haube, John Kibbey, Glen Baumhower, Charles Jones. ROW 5: Ronnie Peeps, Bob Christen, President; Dean McCreery, Clair Turney, Gary McCaw, David Neal. STANDING: Leland Ebersole, Jim Larrow, Phillip Hines, Carl Davis, Jim Tassell, John Adler, Carl Mustafaga, Dave Hanson.

PROJECTION CLUB

THE Projection Club distinguished themselves as they did a good job of showing classroom and feature movies this year.

This club is a service club; therefore, they only serve the school and do not sponsor any social activities. Anyone can belong, providing they have a study period and are free that hour to show movies.

T & I

ANOTHER year gone, but the highlights of this year have been many.

What memories there are for these boys ... the trip to Marion to find how other school shops work, a trip to the National Convention at Columbus, and the after game dance.

T & I's second year at Whitmer was a busy one.



T. & I. - ROW 1: Larry Frontz, President; Bob Kelly, Arthur Lewis, Treasurer; Steadman Forman, Tom Askins. ROW 2: Russ Schultz, Sergeant at Arms; LeRoy Glanders, Gene Mickens, Wilbur Garner, John Hale, Mr. Speier, Advisor; Jim Zink, Secretary; Kenny Streb, Ken Pollex.

VARIED INTERESTS OCCUPY MEMBERS



BIBLE CLUB - ROW 1: Barbara Tassell, Secretary; Pat Ellis, President; Judy Amsden, Vice President; David Herzig, Treasurer. ROW 2: Peggy Gonyer, Ruth Graves, Chuck Dudderar, Carol Kennedy. ROW 3: Carolyn Plumb, Carol Kurfis, Barbara Martini, Barbara Flegle. ROW 4: Nancy Kropaczewski, Shirley Alford, Donivee Bean, Charlotte Dallas, Pat Eyearitt. ROW 5: Melva Whitmill, Sharron Thompson, Elizabeth Eldridge, Jeanette Ebersole, Carolyn Dallas.

BIBLE CLUB

THE Bible Club, under the supervision of Mr. Graves has had a very interesting year.

This was the first year the members sponsored the morning prayer over the public address system.

Beside their inter-club activities they sponsored "Prior Claim", a movie with a religious theme for the entire student body.

SCIENCE CLUB

"SINGING in the Rain." This is what the Science Club did on one of their field trips to observe wild life.

The Science Club had a roast in November as part of their social calendar. Important on their agenda was the trip to Bowling Green where their splendid science projects brought them awards and honor to Whitmer.

All in all, they could chalk 54-55 up as a successful year in the annals of the Science Club.



SCIENCE CLUB - ROW 1, SITTING: Ethel Lewis, Janice Tippie, Alice Curson, Vice President; Harold Borden, Treasurer. ROW 2, KNEELING: Robert Garner, Jerry Mercer, Jim Fye. ROW 3, STANDING: Bernard Jarrah, Fred Emmett, Don Brewster, Andre Shambarger, Jim Combs, President; Dave Borman, Harold Ward, Mr. Geis, Advisor; Bill Smothers, Don Kellermyer, Claude Morrette, Richard Brown, Pat Lenart, Carol Wauford. Absent: Carol Wolfe, Secretary.

MEMBERS PLAN FOR



FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA, ROW 1, LEFT TO RIGHT: Sharon Stahl, Treasurer, Richard Huffer, Daryl Puterbaugh, Sylvia Puehl, Dianne Fornwall, Joyce Westrup, Dolores Cristaldi, Louise Rule, President; Clair Turney, Judy Kilbride, Carol Keller, Gloria Mittendorf, Johanna Lewis, Mary Harget. ROW 2: Miss Krause, Advisor; Marilyn Nicely, Dolly Loeffler, Jim Combs, Judy Thyer, Linda Langley, Carol Hoffman, Iva Hoops, Donna Decker, Vice President; Pat Poole, Louise Reger, Secretary.

FUTURE TEACHERS OF AMERICA

F.T.A. did many enjoyable and interesting things. Besides substituting for teachers, they sponsored an after game dance in January, took trips to the campuses of various universities and were hostesses at the biennial Book Bazaar.

FUTURE NURSES OF AMERICA

THE F.N.A. was organized this year under the leadership of Mrs. Richmond, a nurse from Flower Hospital.

The first event held by the club was a bake sale December 4, at Otto's Variety Store.

The F.N.A. has proved to be a very worth-while club.



FUTURE NURSES OF AMERICA, ROW 1: Linda Drake, President. ROW 2, LEFT TO RIGHT: Jeanne Nelson, Secretary-Treasurer; Carolyn Keller, Recording Secretary; Cynthia Meinders, Vice President; Cecilia Hoerig. ROW 3: Marlyn Walker, Carol De Rose, Rita Snyder, Nancy Toolooze, Pat Booth, Carol Wolfe, Georgia Green, Jo Ann Nelson. ROW 4: Judy Whitaker, Judy Huff, Angeline Hale, Sharon Mc Cormick, Nancy Sharp, Pat Miller, Judy Smith, Barbara Flegle.

FUTURE CAREERS



SEATED: Jeanette Ebersole, Barbara Benner, Margie Benner, Carol Cain, Donna Ritzenthaler, Secretary; Pat Meredith, Sharon Bartley, Treasurer; Judy Meredith, Sandy Wilson, Judy Ross, Cathy Smith, President; Gerry Shinabery, Myrna Semler, Sharon Laney, Nancy Sharp. STANDING: Mary Harbauer, Donna Gallup, Joy Peterson, Glenna Hall, Pat Shadday, Iva Hoops, Barbara Martin, Leslee VanDyke, Pat Miller, Sue Alexander, Natalie Smith, Vice President; Joyce Weidaw.

FUTURE HOMEMAKERS OF AMERICA

THE F.H.A. started the school year by electing their officers. After this there was an initiation party held for the new members at Hopewell Shelter House.

They also made a Thanksgiving basket for a needy family in the township. When December 20

rolled around, the club gave a Christmas party for an orphan's home.

One of the most important events that the club participated in was sending several delegates to the State Convention in Columbus.



SEATED, ROW 1: Sandy Moore, Myrna Miller. SEATED, ROW 2: Jackie Schiffer, Margie Petz, Mitzi Gardner, Marylou Harget, Betty Hallett, Janice Martin. STANDING, ROW 3: Beverly Lugar, Wendy Gardner, Joanne Schultz, Charmayne Hinds, Helen Hunt, Judy Biker, Thelma Werr, Linda Regnier, Barbara Krolak, Sue Gorrell, Sue Marchant.

CHEERLEADERS ENJOY SUPPORTING



LEFT TO RIGHT: Johnny Ondrus, Rusty Dresch, Ann Stacy, Judy Richards, LeRoy Glanders, Linda Mortemore, Pat Rankin, Bill Weber.

THESE peppy cheerleaders have led the student body through many cheers, which have encouraged our teams to win many victories. In order to become a cheerleader, you are required to meet certain qualifications. Cheerleading is a year round

sport. They cheer at the basketball and football games.

Miss Bires, who is also the Physical Education teacher, is their advisor.



RESERVE CHEERLEADERS: Sue Marchant, Norma Meyers, Sharon Laney.



Cheerleaders on the march.

TRAIN TRIP VICTORY



Has Anybody seen my gal?



We can't leave the band behind.

THIS year's train trip took us to Lima Central on October 8, 1954. A hard fought victory, enthusiastic travelers, and a crowded train made it a wonderful trip.



Here at last!



Oh, that ride home!



All is well that ends well.

MARCHING ALONG



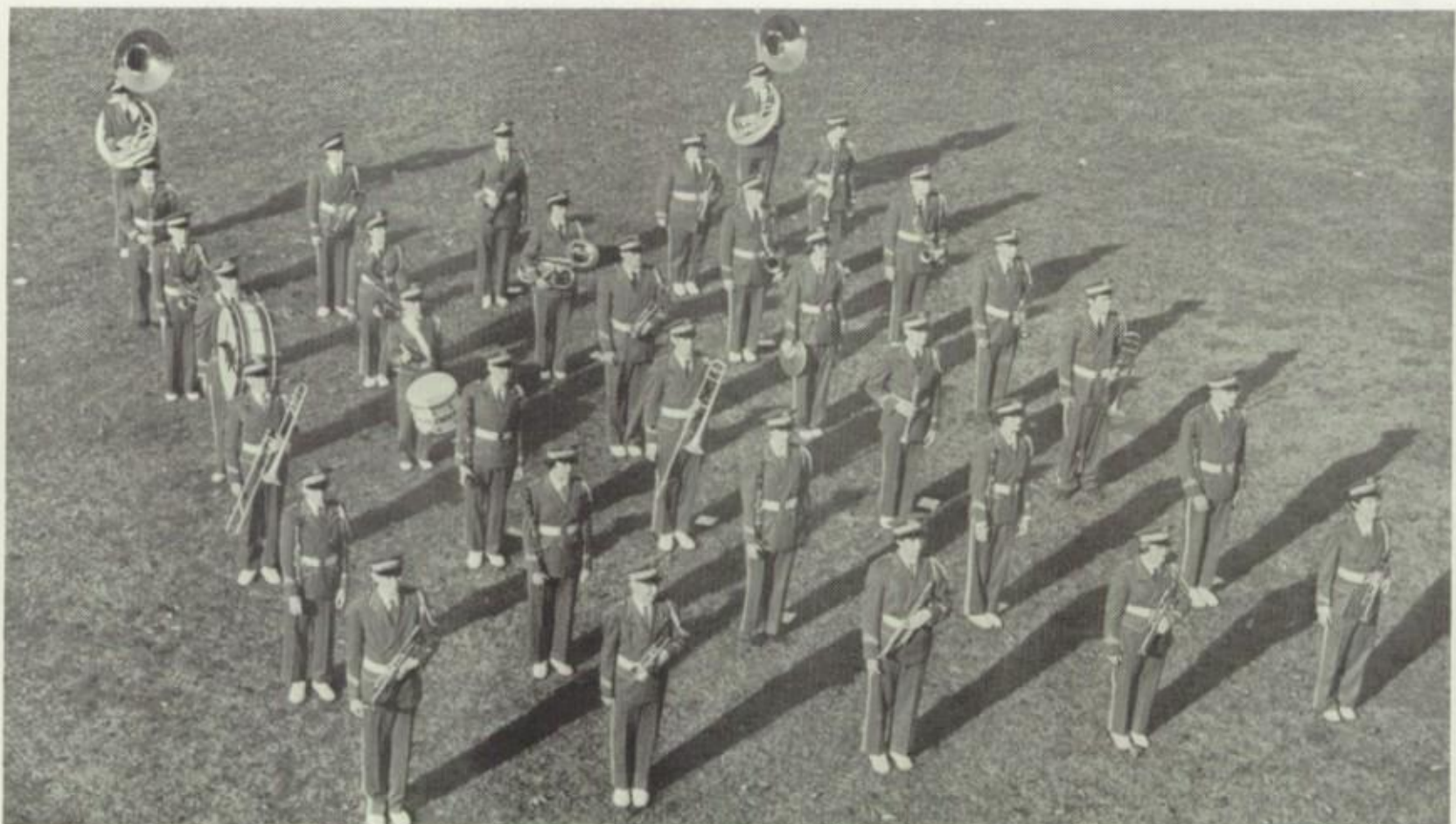
CLARINET

Ellen Kucera
Elfriede Bauck
Marilyn Rhoads
Sue Warren
Richard Slovak
Carol Kolb
Sandra Pertner
Ronnie Hall
Doug Erwin
Karyl Olsen
Ronald Lacy

TRUMPET

Robert Montgomery
David Herzig
Carl Mock
Pat Lenart
Jim White
Pat Reisener
Nancy Schultz
Sharon Crawford
Bill Newell
Ralph McLeod

PRACTICE makes perfect. At least that's what Mr. Meihls hopes as he directs the band during their 2nd hour classes in the music room and during their drills on the football field.



TOGETHER

TROMBONE

Tom Grasley
Bill Bishop
David Ziems

SAXAPHONE

Gary Godbey
Linda Regnier
Bob Mack

STRING BASS

John Rideout
Jim Vogelsang

SOUSAPHONE

Dick Schondel
Ben McConnell

FRENCH HORN

Jill Whiteman
Thelma Werr

DRUMS

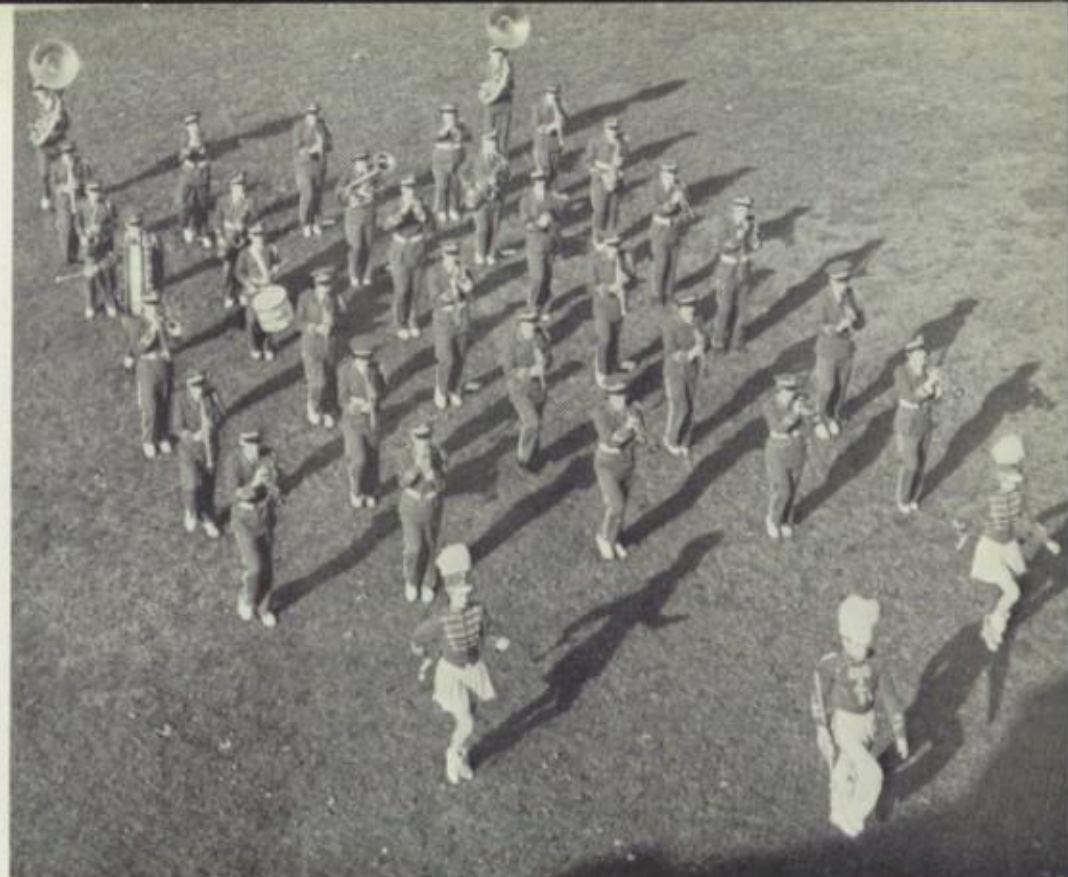
Bob Garner
Merle Stratton

BARATONE

Judy Huffer

BELLS

JoAnn Conover



THE Whitmer High School Marching Band really had a big year.

Besides marching at all of the football games, they had the pleasure of playing for the opening Mercury hockey game at the Sports Arena and marched in the Veterans' Day Parade.

A new organization, now known as the Band Booster's Club, is at work for the benefit of Whitmer's Band. The members are parents and friends interested in helping promote a better musical education in Whitmer High School.

The high stepping antics of Barb Crayne, Jerry Mallett, and Donna Ritzenthaler lead our band down the field.



VOICES BRIGHTEN WHITMER'S HALLS



A CAPPELLA CHOIR - ROW 1: Mr. Brown, Director; Judy Workman, Ruth Graves, Rachel Plock, Sharon Stahl, Beverly Quick, Betty Snyder, Lillian Stieb, Jackie Schifter, Carol Mrozinski, Addie Bennett, Lois Britsch, Carol Whitney, Charlotte Koepke. ROW 2: Norma Thompson, Linda Carpenter, Carla Kurz, Donna Decker, Jeanne Nelson, Joyce Splittgerber, Connie Campbell, Nancy Couture, Marilyn Schmidlin, Louise Reger, Mary Lou Harget, Linda Drake, Pat Poole, Cynthia Meinders, Bernadine Posadny, Milly Wallace. ROW 3: Gail Delph, Georgia Green, Arthur Hatch, Dwayne Jeffrey, Tom Klosinski, Jim Vischer, Howard Williams, John Kern, Dick Broadway, Dick Huffer, Dave Turner, Jim Foels, Wesley Sequine, Dolores Cristaldi, Billie Gillhouse, Donna Robinson, Sylvia Linton. ROW 4: Mitzi Gardner, Lyman Phillips, Jim Vogelsang, Daryl Puterbaugh, Jim Murray, Richard Brown, Bob Holder, Harold Borden, Ronnie Peeps, Bob Connors, Jerry Cox, Larry Binkley, Bill Brott, Dave Borman, Gail Jones, Wilma Delph, Gerry Wechsel.

A CAPPELLA CHOIR

RESOUNDING from the third floor may be heard the harmonious voices of our A Cappella Choir as they sing such old favorites as: "Madame Jeanette", "O Bone Jesu", "Heavenly Light", and "Go Not Far From Me, O Lord".

A great honor came to them this year when they were asked to sing at the Northwestern Teachers' Meeting in October. This, plus their usual Spring and Christmas Programs, provided them with a full year.

GLEE CLUB

PRACTICE! The key to the Glee Club. This organization meets Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, sixth period in the music room.

The Glee Club consists largely of sophomores and juniors, whose fine voices will award them a position in A Cappella Choir next year.

Their constant rehearsal prepared them for their capable participation with the entire Music Department in the Christmas and Spring Programs.



GLEE CLUB - ROW 1: Shirley Lee Locke, Lela Flick, Donna Vernier, Karolyn Gilbert, Barbara Flegle, Judy Ross, Judy Putnam, Carole Milosh, Kay Bergstrom, Mr. Brown, Director. ROW 2: Barbara Jenne, Adeline Baugh, Carol Kurfis, Georgene Moon, Pat Meredith, Joyce Weidaw, Carole Quick, Jule Emahiser, Barbara Martini, Marlene Jennewine, Pat Eyearitt. ROW 3: Lois Rarick, John Haverstock, Dora Eldred, Carol Wolfe, Janet Bowles, Nancy Mills, Sally Hoagland, Sandy Wilson, Donna Bowman, Betty Hartman, Virginia Petruca.

FOREIGN CUSTOMS AND LANGUAGE INTEREST MEMBERS



SPANISH CLUB - ROW 1: Tom Kellermeyer, Johanna Lewis, Jim Turner, Carlos Jarrin. ROW 2: Kathy Bergstrom, Miss Mishler, Advisor; Shari Abbett, Nancy Olson, President; Patsy Shook, Secretary-Treasurer; Bob Bella, Phil Molik, Vice President.

SPANISH CLUB

WARM memories of friendship, travel lectures, and movies have strongly united the fourteen members of the Spanish Club. Together they have helped needy Mexican families, gave an assembly for the school, and attended a Spanish dinner. Truly their first year was a successful one.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS

INTERNATIONAL Relations got into full swing this year by participating in a mock United Nations session at the University of Toledo. They also had a tea at Mrs. Dekle's house, wrote to pen pals in foreign countries, and had foreign students speak at a few of their meetings.



INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS - ROW 1, SEATED: Marilyn Schmidlin, Delilah Grabach, Marilyn Bost, Sergeant at Arms; Norma Thompson, Pat Ziegler, Judy Workman, Jean Ziemke, Carol Kurfis. ROW 2, SEATED: Carol Mrozinski, Pat Sloan, John Ansted, Sue Warren, Vice President; Doug Butler, Treasurer; Carol Slovak, Ferne Moores, Secretary; Ellen Kucera. ROW 3, STANDING: Mrs. Dekle, Advisor; Allen Patrick, Dudley Williams, John Rideout, Richard Huffer, Connie Campbell, President; Marlene Witt, Pat Poole, Sara Germain.





SPORTS

"**V**ICTORY, Victory, is our cry!"
Down through the years this cry urged
Whitmer's teams to victory. Now
in 1955 Whitmer has a full trophy
case to signify her athletic
prowess to visitors.

OUTSTANDING STUDENT WINS AGAIN

DALE CROW MEMORIAL

EVERY year the Athletic Council, which consists of the superintendent, principal, a board member, the executive secretary, and four coaches, picks a senior boy who is outstanding in athletics and scholastic ability.

This award was organized in 1946 by the administration in honor of Dale Crow, son of Whitmer's custodian "Pappy Crow." Dale was an honor student and outstanding athlete while attending Whit-

mer. He attended Toledo University where in 1939, he graduated and became one of Whitmer's own teachers and coaches. In 1941, Dale enlisted in the Naval Air Service and in January, 1945, he was killed while flying a mission over Wake Island.

Jim Henley was the senior chosen to receive the Dale Crow Memorial for the school year 53-54. He was well chosen. Jim met all the athletic requirements, for he was chosen all G.N.C. guard and remained undefeated during wrestling season. The fact that he was president of Honor Society and president of Student Council speaks for his scholastic achievements.



James Henley, recipient of the Dale Crow Memorial Trophy.

THEY LEAD US TO VICTORY



STANDING, LEFT TO RIGHT: Mr. Stacy, Mr. Conroy. SEATED: Mr. Kaczmarek, Mr. Hersland, Mr. Pritts, Mr. Foster, Mr. Smith.

MR. SMITH-Received degrees from both Bowling Green State University and Toledo University. He started his coaching career here at Whitmer four years ago. He took over as head football coach this year and also coached wrestling.

MR. CONROY-Graduated from Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, Ohio. He came to Toledo from Archbold High School in 1953. He coached varsity basketball, reserve baseball, and track.

MR. STACY-Graduated from Bowling Green State University in 1930. He came to Whitmer from Bowling Green. Mr. Stacy has been here twenty-five years and has coached every major sport. This year he coached varsity baseball.

MR. HERSLAND-Graduated from Bowling Green State University. He previously coached at Holland High School. During his five years at Whitmer he has coached basketball, football, and golf; this year, the latter two.

MR. KACZMAREK-Graduated from Miami University at Oxford, Ohio. He taught and coached previously at Benedictine High in Cleveland, Ohio. During this, his first year at Whitmer, he coached varsity football and freshman basketball.

MR. FOSTER-Graduated from Ohio Northern University at Ada, Ohio. He came to Whitmer from Sylvania where he coached football and reserve basketball. The reserve basketball team has been his pride and joy during his four years at Whitmer.

MR. PRITTS-Graduated from Ohio University at Athens, Ohio. Currently Mr. Pritts was equipment manager and trainer for all Whitmer's athletic teams.

VARSITY FOOTBALL

WHITMER had a much better season than was expected, as they had only four returning lettermen, by coming in second in the G.N.C. The Panthers came through a very tough ten game schedule with a 6-4 won-lost record. They received much praise for their victory over Lima Central, one of the top ranked teams in the state. With this record the Panthers made Coach Smith's first season as head coach a very successful one.

SCORES OF GAMES

| | | | |
|-----------------|-----------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| Whitmer 7 | Waite 49 | Whitmer 25 | Perrysburg 13 |
| Whitmer 20 | A. Wayne 13 | Whitmer 37 | Maumee 7 |
| Whitmer 0 | Clay 31 | Whitmer 18 | Sylvania 34 |
| Whitmer 25 | Lima Central 20 | Whitmer 33 | B. Green 13 |
| Whitmer 18 | Rossford 0 | Whitmer 0 | DeVilbiss 40 |

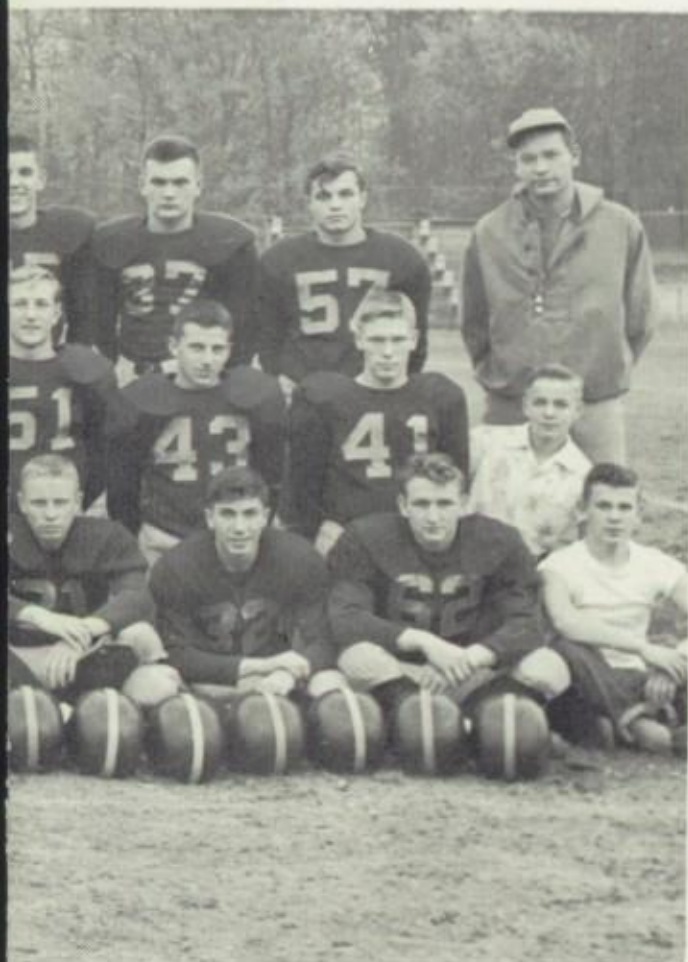


ROW 1: J. Smith, Manager; P. Molik, D. Alt, D. Warner, D. Leathers, C. Plaz, J. Wager, D. Price, L. Regnier, D. Turner, J. Scanes, 2: Mr. Pritts, Trainer; D. Pelton, C. Holton, J. Foels, V. Hammye, D. Butler, T. Molik, R. Miller, B. Norris, H. Borden, C. Genseler, J. Kibby, J. marek, Assistant Coach; John Hersland, Assistant Coach; B. Mack, R. Schliebner, T. McCullough, J. Clifton, B. Murnen, R. Schultz, L. Patrick, Vern Smith, Head Coach.

SECOND IN G.N.C.



ROW 1: J. Saddoris, P. Fosgate, M. Hitchcock, T. Stanley, B. Dangrimond, G. Baumhower, J. White, A. Windnagle. ROW 2: D. Tschan, C. Mustafaga, R. Marvin, L. LaVigne, J. Conover, D. Hamilton, R. Mortemore, D. Williams, Lou Kaczmarek, Coach.



O. Bomar, D. Stagg, Manager. ROW 2: Stagg, Manager. ROW 3: Lou Kacz-
Frontz, B. Albright, W. Marlett, A.

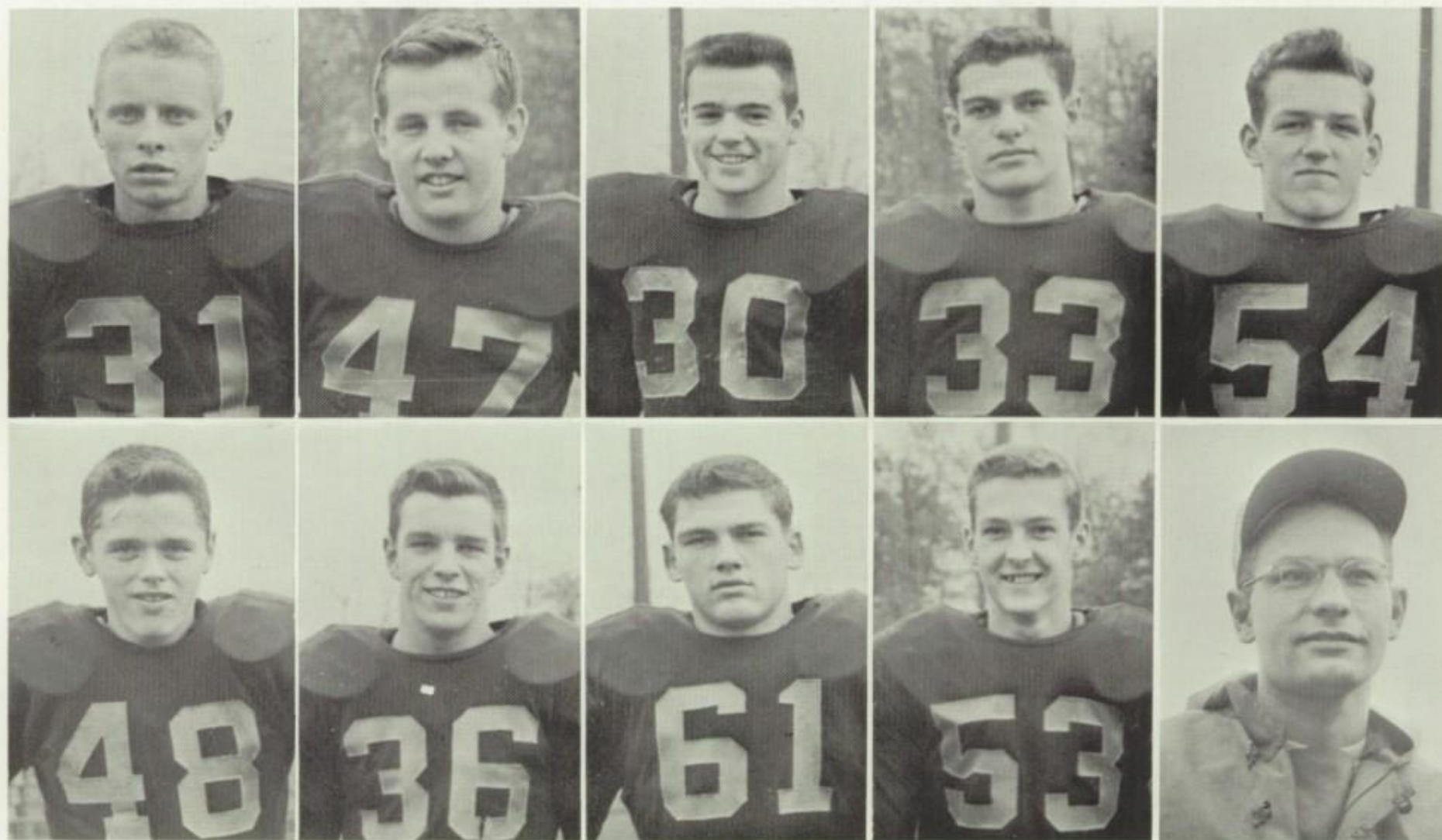
RESERVE FOOTBALL

LOU KACZMAREK was given the job of coaching Whitmer Reserve Football squad. Just sixteen boys were on the team and ended the season with only one win in eight games. Although it wasn't a very successful season scorewise the boys gained the valuable experience that they will need when they are on the varsity.

SCORES OF GAMES

| | | | |
|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------|
| Whitmer.. 0 | A. Wayne .. 6 | Whitmer.. 0 | Swanton .. 6 |
| Whitmer.. 7 | Clay.....14 | Whitmer..12 | Maumee..18 |
| Whitmer..14 | DeVilbiss .. 9 | Whitmer.. 0 | Sylvania.. 7 |
| Whitmer.. 0 | Central..... 6 | Whitmer..19 | Bedford...20 |

WHITMER UNLEASHES



D. Turner
B. Mack

D. Pelton
T. McCullough

D. Leathers
R. Miller

D. Alt
L. Frontz

J. Clifton, Capt.
Coach Smith

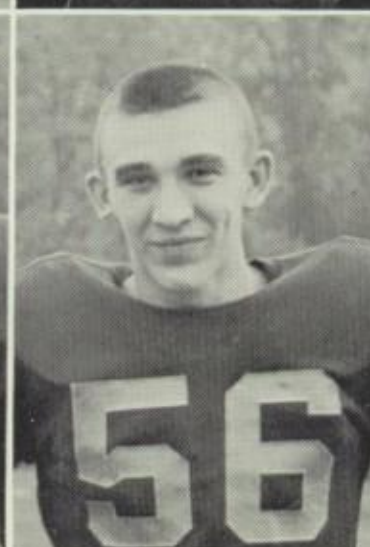
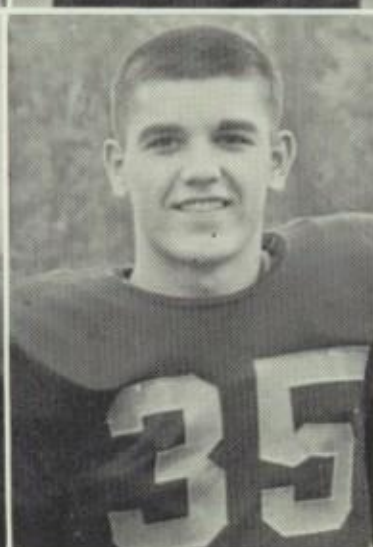
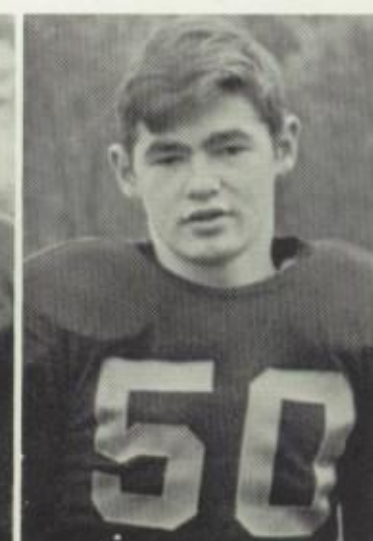


Dave Turner is spilled by unidentified DeVilbiss player.

NEW TALENT



Darry Leathers gains some yardage against Maumee's Panthers.



D. Warner
J. Wager

B. Norris
O. Bomar

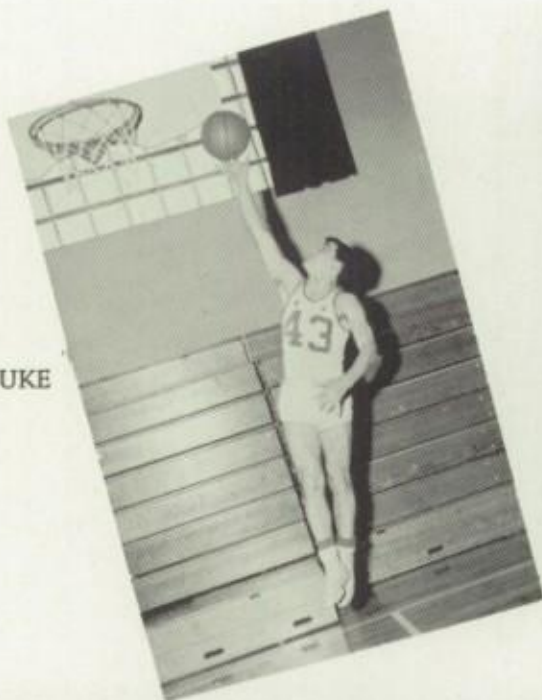
R. Schliebner
B. Albright

L. Regnier
T. Molik

B. Murnen
H. Borden

TEAM MAKES UP FOR

DUKE



GOOSE

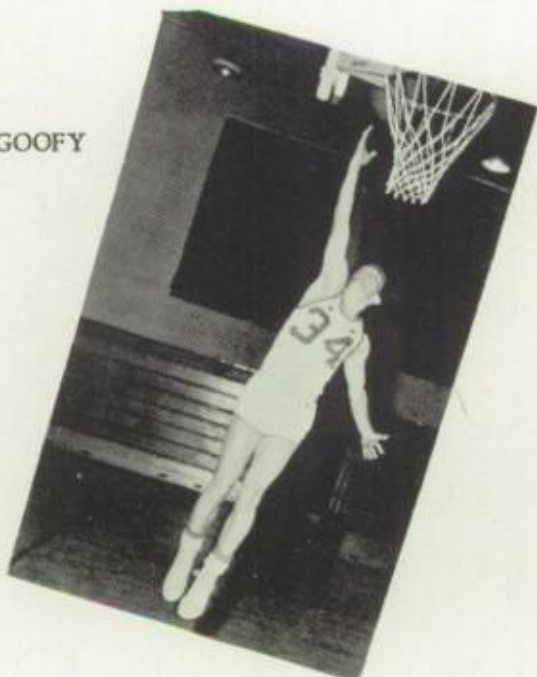


JESSE



LEFT TO RIGHT: D. Price, J. Bukowski, J. Scanes, R. Miller, T. Cady, J. Clifton, B. Herring, J. B. Cobb, R. Bluth, G. Jones, D. Leathers, T. Kochendorfer, D. Alt, T. Meredith. IN FRONT: Mr. Conroy, Coach; D. Schutt, Manager.

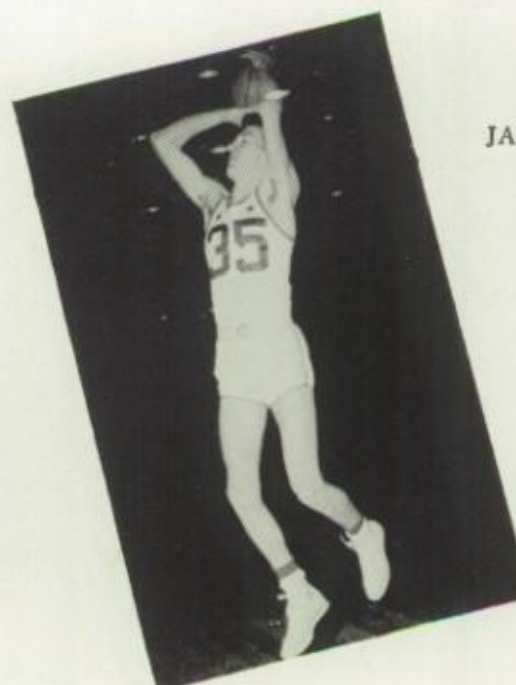
GOOFY



ACE



JACKSON



HEIGHT WITH HUSTLE

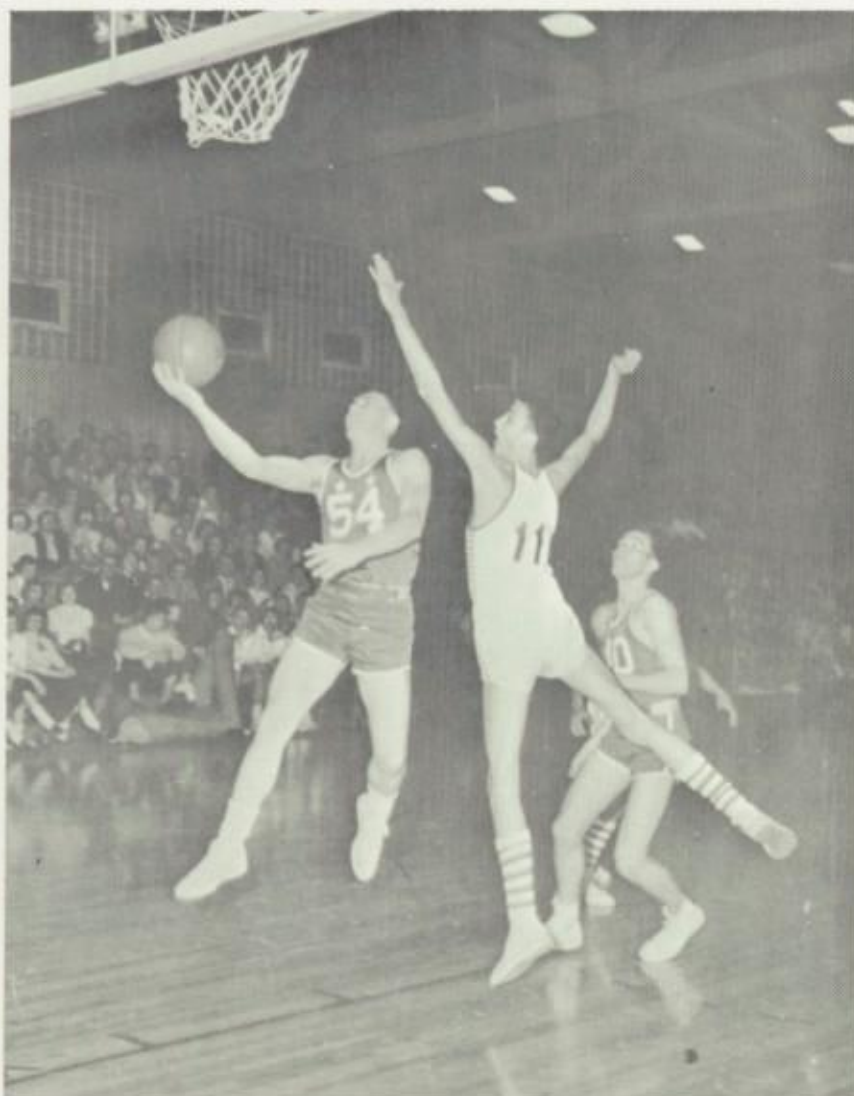
COACH Bob Conroy's cage squad, despite their lack of height, won 9 games and lost 10 during the regular season with their fine spirit and ball handling.

The boys did much better against outside opponents than they did in the G. N. C. league. Against these non league teams the Panthers won 5 and lost 2 games.

Jake Bukowski, the only letterman from the 53-54 team, paced the team which played very good on several occasions but was unable to do so consistently.



Jake Bukowski goes in for two points against Waite's Indians.



Gail Jones scores, against Clay's Jim Routson, on a driving lay up.

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|--------|----|-------|-------|-------|----------|
| Player | G. | F. G. | F. T. | T. P. | P. P. G. |
| Jake | 19 | 130 | 84 | 344 | 18.1 |
| J. B. | 19 | 62 | 50 | 174 | 9.2 |
| Gail | 19 | 48 | 70 | 166 | 8.7 |
| Tom | 19 | 58 | 26 | 142 | 7.5 |
| Jim | 3 | 3 | 10 | 16 | 5.3 |
| Darry | 19 | 20 | 39 | 79 | 4.2 |
| Tom K. | 15 | 18 | 5 | 41 | 2.7 |
| Jack | 16 | 8 | 7 | 23 | 1.5 |
| Dave | 14 | 8 | 5 | 21 | 1.5 |

G. - Games; F. G. - Field Goals; F. T. - Free Throws;

T. P. - Total Points; P. P. G. - Points Per Game.

FUTURE STARS PLACE SECOND IN LEAGUE

SCORES OF VARSITY AND RESERVE GAMES

| Whitmer | Opponent | Varsity | Varsity | Reserve | Reserve |
|---------|------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| " | Napoleon | 66 | 37 | 34 | 31 |
| " | Macomber | 32 | 53 | 29 | 36 |
| " | Maumee | 53 | 43 | 38 | 54 |
| " | Swanton | 56 | 52 | 44 | 22 |
| " | Sylvania | 32 | 52 | 45 | 14 |
| " | B. Green | 55 | 45 | 42 | 31 |
| " | DeVilbiss | 47 | 72 | - | - |
| " | Woodward | 43 | 40 | - | - |
| " | Perrysburg | 76 | 65 | 61 | 47 |
| " | Clay | 53 | 63 | 52 | 27 |
| " | A. Wayne | 43 | 60 | 49 | 22 |
| " | Rossford | 52 | 28 | 32 | 41 |
| " | Maumee | 54 | 64 | 45 | 42 |
| " | Sylvania | 50 | 54 | 62 | 41 |
| " | Rossford | 75 | 57 | 59 | 42 |
| " | Perrysburg | 61 | 63 | 48 | 25 |
| " | Clay | 43 | 55 | 44 | 22 |
| " | A. Wayne | 49 | 56 | 41 | 44 |
| " | Waite | 71 | 48 | 33 | 48 |
| Totals | | 1,011 | 1,007 | 798 | 589 |

RESERVE BASKETBALL

COACH Chuck Foster's smooth working reserve squad came through a fine season and ended up second in the G. N. C. The boys lost their chance to tie for the championship

when they were upset by Anthony Wayne in their last league game. Two of the more promising stars, Jim Scanes and Bill Herring, led the team to an overall 12 and 5 record.



ROW 1: D. Tattersall, J. White, M. Hitchcock, R. Lynch, J. Vischer. ROW 2: D. Herzig, J. Scanes, L. LeVigne, D. Miller, B. Herring, R. Mortemore, L. Dexter, C. Brown, Mr. Foster, Coach.

ATHLETES GAIN SCHOOL AND CITY RECOGNITION



VARSITY W—ROW 1: Mr. Conroy, Advisor, L. Otto, A. Patrick, J. Wager, J. Stagg, D. Stagg, D. Butler, B. Weber, T. Molik. ROW 2: D. Leathers, B. Ballert, D. Warner, C. Holton, L. Merrick, J. Smith, L. Frontz. ROW 3: D. Pelton, R. Miller, R. Digby, D. Turner, L. Regnier, T. Grasley, D. Kendall, J. Zink. ROW 4: D. Alt, H. Borden, R. Bluth, J. Clifton, B. Murnen, P. Molik, T. Gollan, R. Schliebner, T. McCullough, R. Schultz.

Varsity W

MEMBERSHIP to this club is open to anyone receiving a letter in a varsity sport. These athletes sold concessions at the Circus, held their annual initiation and banquet, and sponsored an after game dance.

G. N. C. PLAYERS

THERE were six outstanding gridders on Whitmer's football squad this year who received awards from the Toledo Times and the Toledo Blade for making the all G. N. C. teams. Jack Clifton, Dave Pelton, and Larry Frontz made the first team, while honorable mentions were received by Dave Turner, Dave Alt, and Bill Mack.



G. N. C.: Dave Turner, Dave Alt, Jack Clifton, Bill Mack, Larry Frontz, Dave Pelton.

MATMEN CAPTURE NORTHWESTERN OHIO CROWN



ROW 1: J. Haube, M. Barton, J. Wager, C. Davis, J. Stagg, D. Stagg, J. Smith, C. Gensler, D. Broadway. ROW 2: Mr. Smith, Coach; F. Anderton, P. Hines, T. Stanley, R. Marvin, J. Zink, J. Fye, D. Warner, D. Turner, Bob Norris, Manager. ROW 3: D. Williams, T. McCullough, R. Schultz, W. Marlett, J. Lehsten, T. Allen, H. Borden, J. Zink, T. Grasley, C. Holton, B. Mack.

WHITMER'S crack wrestling team, under the enthusiastic coaching of Mr. Smith, took first place in the Northwestern Ohio Tournament at Findlay. In this tournament all eleven members of the squad qualified for the State meet at Cleveland where the team, led by Dick Stagg's second place, came in 11th out of

the 29 teams represented.

The Panthers' only loss of their ten matches was to a very strong Ypsilanti, Michigan, team. Two outstanding boys, who were undefeated during the regular season, were Jerry Wager and Tom Grasley.

THE FIRST TEAM



Monk...141



Silver Eagle...150



Zulu...122



White Fang...106



Muscles...170



Bashful...132



Smitty...116



Pinnochio...159

Other members of the first team were Jim Haube, Larry Binkley, and Russ Miller.

MINOR SPORTS WIN RECOGNITION



LEFT TO RIGHT: B. Weber, W. Roch von Rochsburg, B. Driscoll, T. Meredith, R. Digby, Mr. Hersland, Coach; E. Meredith, J. Bukowski, L. Otto.

WHITMER'S exceptional golf team continued its winning ways during the 53-54 season. In the District, which is a qualification for the State Tournament, the team tied for second with DeVilbiss but lost their chance to go to Columbus

in the play-off. In the other tournament they played in, the Sandusky Invitational, they placed third out of fifteen teams. Eddie Meredith, the only senior on the squad, led them to an eight and five season record.



ROW 1: J. Clifton, J. Reese, M. Moore, D. Brewster, W. Hoff, W. Roch von Rochsburg, D. Cornell.
ROW 2: Mr. Geis, Advisor; D. Cowell, D. Hanson, D. Neal, R. Peeps, D. McCreery, A. Lewis, D. Cowdrey.

BOY'S bowling was initiated as a new sport this year and proved very successful. A large number of boys turned out for this championship team.

Whitmer is a member of the G.N.C. league. In

this four team league Maumee's second place team provided the best competition for the Panthers. Bowling's future looks very bright if this year's first place team is any indication.

JONES SPARKS STACY'S NINE



ROW 1: Jim Berry, Ronnie Clawson, Orville Bomar, Kenny Mauss, Bill Ballert, Arlan Church. ROW 2: Bob Bella, Manager; Jerry Thorton, Ed Hepfinger, Dave Thompson, Dave Pelton, Gail Jones, Mr. Stacy, Coach.

Baseball

WHITMER'S baseball squad, consisting of many underclassmen, won five games and lost seven during the 1954 season. Against tough league competition, the Panthers had a 3-5 record. With five returning lettermen Whitmer is looking forward to a fine season this year.



Coach Stacy gives instructions to Gail Jones and Bob Bensch.

RESERVES TAKE TITLE; CINDERMEN GAIN EXPERIENCE



WHITMER'S 1954 reserve baseball squad won the G. N. C. championship in their first year of competition. The new team was composed of sophomores and juniors and coached by Mr. Conroy. The hitting of Don Warner, Jim Scanes, and Bob Bensch, plus the pitching of Ken Dickerson led their team to an excellent 7-1 over all record.

ROW 1: D. Stagg, D. Warner, E. Ray, C. Turney, B. Helsel, J. Klinger. ROW 2: J. Smith, Mgr.; B. Johnson, J. Scanes, B. Bensch, D. Borman, R. Peeps, B. Tattersall, K. Dickerson, Mr. Conroy, Coach.

THE boys on the 1954 track team with invincible spirit and physical endeavor had a very successful season, with Lou Meszaros acting as coach.

They registered six victories and two defeats in the regular season, placed third in the G. N. C. meet and seventh in the DeVilbiss relays. In the G. N. C. meet Whitmer had three

first place winners with the mile relay team, Jack Clifton in the high hurdles, and Dick Clevenger, who ran the mile in 4:28:2, breaking his own record of 4:39 set in the previous year. Clevenger an outstanding athlete at Whitmer for four years was also acclaimed champion High School Miler in the State of Ohio for 1954.



ROW 1: D. Turner, C. Holton, J. Clifton, T. Grimes, B. Norris, A. Patrick. ROW 2: J. Chisam, T. McCullough, R. Schultz, B. Mack, R. Bluth, D. Kendall, D. Butler.



Star miler, Dick Clevenger, wins again.



ROW 1, LEFT TO RIGHT: Joyce Splittgerber, Alice Curson. ROW 2: Joyce Westrup, President; Beverly Quick, Cynthia Meinders, Barb Carlile, Sergeant at Arms; Linda Mortemore, Secretary; Sharon Waite, Dolores Cristaldi, Treasurer; Linda Drake, Vice-President; Delilah Grabach, Carol Schick, Lois Britsch, Nancy Easter. ROW 3: Louise Rule, Linda Garrett, Georgia Green, Judy Kilbride, Linda Langley, Jeanne Nelson, Ann Stacy, Francis Amer, Dolores Arndt, Kathy Stough, Myrna Miller, Sharon Roop, JoAnn Nelson, Shirley McKay, Sharon Kimberly.

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Miss Margaret Bires, G.A.A. Advisor.

"**W**ILL anybody buy a pepshirt?" was the cry of the Girls' Athletic Association at the beginning of the year. The money made from selling these Whitmer pepshirts was used to give the Royal Swing, Whitmer's Homecoming dance, a fun-filled hayride, and their annual Spring Banquet. These activities topped off a very active year.

After school last fall you could hear the familiar yelling and cracking of sticks as the girls played hockey. They got a few bumps and bruises, but it was all in fun. All year long you could find the girls participating in various sports to receive credits, which are required to be a member of G. A. A.



G. A. A. CABINET, LEFT TO RIGHT: Donna Decker, Swimming; Barb Carlile, Sergeant at Arms; Georgia Green, Table Tennis; Linda Langley, Archery; Judy Kilbride, Basketball; Dolores Cristaldi, Treasurer; Beverly Quick, Hockey; Joyce Westrup, President; Alice Curson, Volleyball; Cynthia Meinders, Softball; Jeanne Nelson, Shuffleboard; Linda Drake, Vice-President. Absent: Francis Amer, Bowling; Shirley Alford, Social Chairman.



ROW 1, LEFT TO RIGHT: JoAnn Brown, Gail Haney. ROW 2: Nancy Smith, Peggy Brown, Rosalie Beauregard, Judi Davis, Carol Nees. ROW 3: Donna Mustafaga, Nancy Kropaczewski, Shirley Alford, Marlene Jennewine, Karen Nees, Dolly Loeffler, Rusty Dresch, Pat Shook, Shari Abbett, Miss Bires, Advisor; D'Arcy Orde. ROW 4: Karen Thaler, Karen Marrow, Sue Brock.



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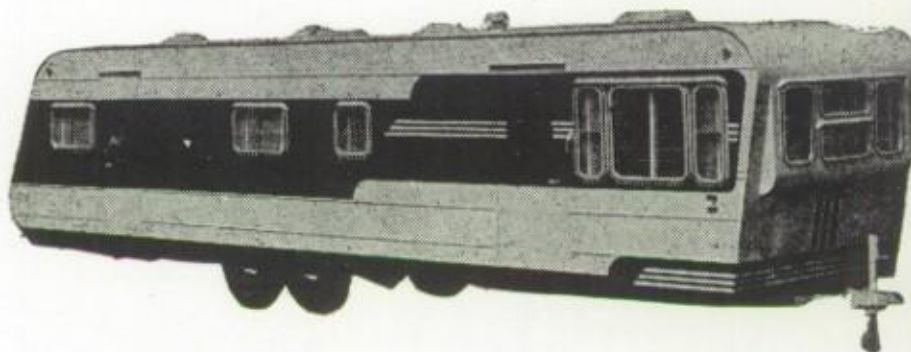
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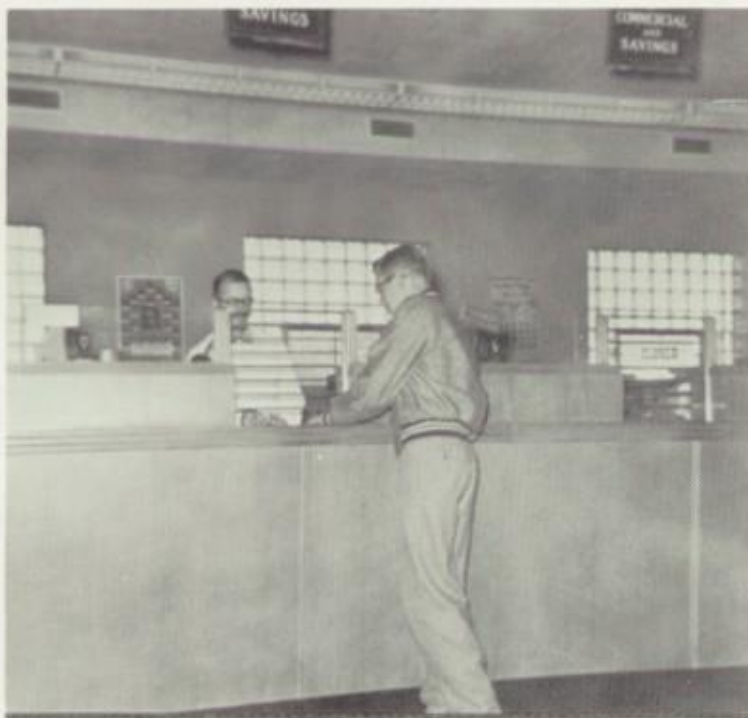
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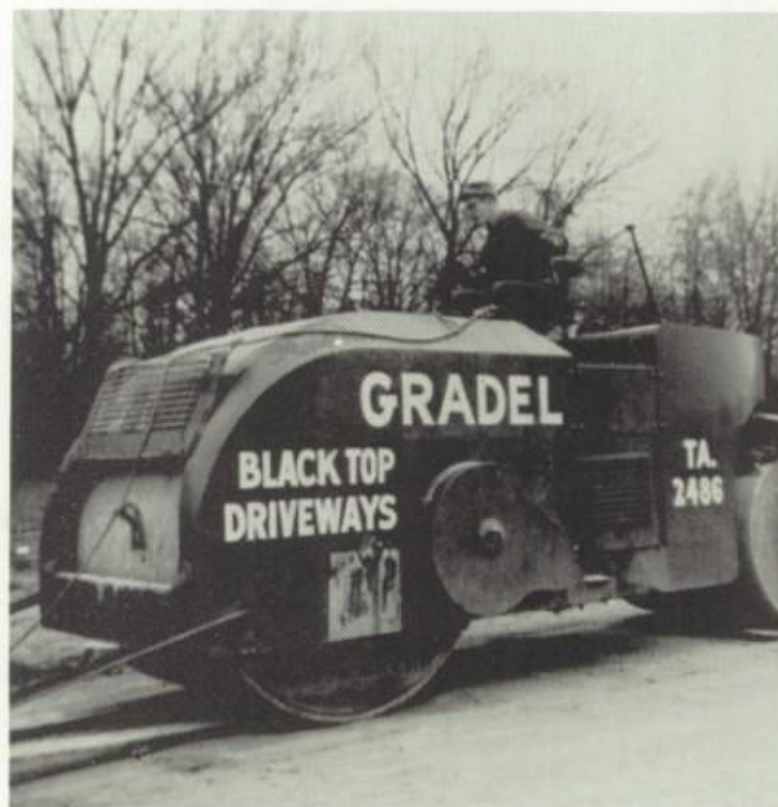
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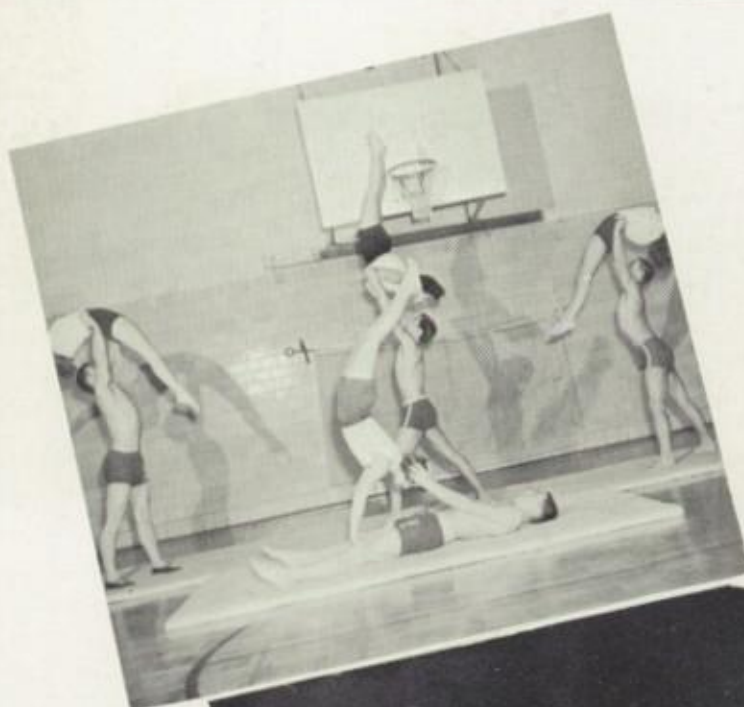
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ALEXANDER, SUE

G. A. A. 1, 2; Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. B. L. A. 3.

ALFORD, JAMES

Circus 3; Track 3.

ALFORD, SHIRLEY

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Bible Club 4; G. A. A. 4; Circus 3, 4.

ALLEN, TERRY

Wrestling 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4.

ANSTED, JOHN

Wrestling 4; Int. Rel. 3, 4.

ASKINS, THOMAS

Hi-Y 3; V. I. C. 4.

BALL, BRADLEY

Library Council 4.

BALLERT, BILL

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3, 4.

BARTLEY, SHARON

Circus 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; F. H. A. 3, 4; Treas. 4; Jr. Play; Sr. Play.

BELL, LAURA JANE

G. A. A. 2, 3; Circus 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Treas. 4; Glee Club 1; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Bowling 2.

BENNER, MARJORIE

F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Circus 3, 4.

BENNETT, ADDLIE

Bowling 1; Glee Club 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 3, 4.

BERESFORD, BRAND

Duluth, Minn.: Photography 1, 2.

BIERITZ, NANETTE

G. A. A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2; Bowling 2, 3; Circus 2, 3.

BINKLEY, LARRY

Football 1, 2, 3; Track 3, 4; Wrestling 3, 4; Varsity W 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1; A Cappella Choir 4; Circus 2, 3, 4.

BISHOP, WILLIAM

Capon Bridge, W. Va.: Band 2, 3, 4; F. F. A. 2, 3; Basketball 2.

BOMAR, ORVILLE

Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Class Sgt.-at-Arms 3; Circus 2, 3, 4.

BORMAN, DAVID

Football 1; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Choir 1; Jr. Play; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Pres. 4; Sr. Play; Class Sgt.-at-Arms 2; Hi-Y 4

BRATTON, DAVID

Football 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2.

BREWSTER, DON

Hi-Y 1; Circus 2, 3, 4; Int. Rel. 4; Science Club 4; Bowling 4.

BRITSCH, LOIS

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3; Glee Club 1.

BROTT, WILLIAM

A Cappella Choir 4.

BROWN, RICHARD

A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Projection Club 2, 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4; Choir 1.

BUKOWSKI, JOHN

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4.

CAIN, CAROL

G. A. A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Circus 3, 4; Oracle Staff 4; Bowling 1, 2; Sr. Play.

CARLILE, BARBARA

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Sgt.-at-Arms 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 1; Circus 2, 3, 4; Oracle Staff 4; Sr. Play.

CHISAM, JAMES

Track 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 3, 4; Jr. Play.

CLAWSON, RONALD

Baseball 2, 3, 4; Choir 1.

CLIFTON, JACK

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Pres. 4.

COBB, J. B.

Basketball 2, 3, 4.

COMBS, JAMES

Science Club 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4; Hi-Y 1, 2; Library Council 3, 4; F. T. A. 4; Projection Club 2, 3, 4.

CONNERS, ROBERT

Bowling 1, 2; Masque & Gavel 2; Prince of Peace 2; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Choir 1; Class Treas. 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; V. Pres. 4; Sr. Play.

CONOVER, JO ANN

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COX, JEROME

Library Council 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 1, 2, 3, 4.

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DALLAS, CHARLOTTE

Glee Club 1; Y-Teens 2, 3; Bible Club 3, 4.

DAWSON, JANE

G. A. A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Bowling 2, 3; Circus 2, 3; Jr. Play; Glee Club 1.

DECKER, DONNA

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Circus 2; Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; V. Pres. 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3, 4.

DELPH, GAIL

G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Bowling 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Sr. Play.

DELPH, WILMA

Student Council 2; F. H. A. 1, 2; Library Council 2; Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; Oracle Staff 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play; Sr. Play; Prince of Peace 2; Quill & Scroll 4.

DICKERSON, THOMAS

Baseball 3, 4.

DIGBY, RICHARD

Basketball 1, 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Projection Club 3; Varsity W 3, 4; Bowling 2.

DITTMAN, HELEN

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3; G. A. A. 2, 3.

DOTY, DONALD

Bowling 1.

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DRISCOLL, MARY

Bowling 3, 4.

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SENIOR ACTIVITIES

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ELLIS, PATRICIA

F. H. A. 3; Glee Club 1; Library Council 3; Bible Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pres. 4.

EMMETT, FRED

Science Club 4; Jr. Play.

FARNSWORTH, ANTHONY

Science Club 2, 3; Hi-Y 2; Flying W Staff 4; Jr. Play; Library Council 4.

FLETCHER, GEORGE

Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 3, 4.

FOELS, JAMES

Football 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 3, 4; Track 2; Circus 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Choir 1; A Cappella Choir 4; Jr. Play; Sr. Play; Class Sgt.-at-Arms 4.

FORMAN, STEADMAN

Choir 1; A Cappella Choir 2; V. I. C. 3, 4.

FOWLER, WILLIAM

Circus 2, 3, 4.

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Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity W 4; V. I. C. 3, 4; Pres. 4; Circus 4.

FYE, JAMES

Projection Club 4; Science Club 4.

GARBERSON, JANET

Glee Club 2, 3.

GARDNER, MITZI

G. A. A. 3; Circus 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; V. Pres. 4; F. H. A. 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 4.

GARDNER, WENDY

G. A. A. 3; Circus 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Bible Club 1, 3.

GARRETT, LINDA

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Sr. Play.

GLANDER, LEROY

Basketball 1; Cheerleader 3, 4; Circus 3, 4; V. I. C. 3, 4; Projection Club 1, 2, 3; Jr. Play 1.

GONYER, SHIRLEY

Glee Club 1; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 3, 4.

GRABACH, DELILAH

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 3, 4; Int. Rel. 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Circus 3, 4; Oracle Staff 3, 4.

GRASLEY, TOM

Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Circus 3; Varsity W 3, 4.

GRATZ, PATRICIA

Y-Teens 3; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3.

GREEN, GEORGIA

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Circus 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 4; F. H. A. 3; Chess Club 1; F. N. A. 4.

GRIMSHAW, DOREEN

Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 2.

HALE, JOHN

V. I. C. 3, 4.

HARGET, MARY LOUISE

Circus 3; Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Bowling 2.

HART, RONALD

Baseball 2.

HAUBE, JAMES

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HAWKINS, DONNA

Glee Club 1.

HERZIG, DAVID

Bible Club 3, 4; Hi-Y 2; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 3.

HOERIG, ALICE

HOERIG, CECILIA

Circus 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2; A Cappella Choir 1, 3, 4; F. N. A. 4.

HOFFMAN, CAROL

F. H. A. 2; F. T. A. 3, 4; Library Council 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2.

HOLTON, CHARLES

Football 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1; Varsity W 4; Band 1, 2; Circus 3, 4; Bowling 1.

HOPKINS, MERLE

Hi-Y 1; Science Club 1.

HUETER, NANCY

HUFFER, RICHARD

F. T. A. 3, 4; Library Council 2, 3, 4; Choir 1; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Int. Rel. 3, 4.

HUNT, EDWIN

Student Council 2; Jr. Play 1.

HUTCHINSON, PAT

JOHNSON, BOB

Baseball 2, 3, 4.

JONES, GAIL

Football 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Varsity W 3, 4; Flying W Staff 4; Class Pres. 1.

KAYLOR, HARRISON

Projection Club 1.

KELLER, CAROLYN

Y-Teens 2, 3; G. A. A. 3; F. T. A. 4; Library Council 3; Science Club 1; Circus 2, 3; F. N. A. 4.

KENDALL, DONALD

Football 2; Track 3, 4; Wrestling 3, 4; Sr. Play; Varsity W 4; Hi-Y 4; Honor Society 3, 4.

KENNEDY, CAROL

Y-Teens 1, 2; Bible Club 4; Circus 2, 3; Class Sec. 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2.

KERN, JOHN

Library Council 2; Circus 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 4.

KILBRIDE, JUDY

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Y-Teens 1; Science Club 1.

KLOSINSKI, NANCY

Y-Teens 1.

KOEPKE, CHARLOTTE

Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 4.

KORN, HARRY

W. Sunbury, Penn.: Choir 1.

KROPACZEWSKI, NANCY

G. A. A. 4; Circus 3; Y-Teens 1; Bible Club 4.

LACY, RONALD

Science Club 2, 3; Circus 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4.

LANGLEY, LINDA

G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2.

LEATHERS, DARRYL

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Varsity W 4; Hi-Y 4; Class Treas. 1; Class V. Pres. 3; Sr. Play.

LEBAY, RICHARD

A Cappella Choir 4.

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

LETSON, JOSEPH
V. I. C. 3, 4.

LISKE, MARYANNA
Glee Club 1, 2; G. A. A. 3; Circus 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3.

LOEFFLER, DELORES
Science Club 1; Bible Club 1, 2; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Glee Club 1.

LUGAR, BEVERLY
Y-Teens 3; F. H. A. 3, 4.

MARLETT, WALDO
Wrestling 1, 2, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Treas. 4; Varsity W 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1; Golf 3; Flying W Staff 2, 3.

McATEE, PAUL
Bowling 1, 2; Choir 1; Flying W Staff 4.

McBRIDE, CLIFFORD
Football 2.

McCAW, GARY
DeVilbiss High School: Baseball 1, 2; Basketball 1; Science Club 1; Hi-Y 2; Prism Staff 3.

McCORMICK, PATRICIA
Science Club 1; Glee Club 1, 2.

McCREE, RICHARD
Circus 3.

McCREERY, DEAN
Projection Club 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 4.

McCULLOUGH, TOM
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; Wrestling 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Sr. Play; Hi-Y 4; Varsity W 3, 4; Circus 4.

MEEKS, KATHY
Glee Club 1, 2; Y-Teens 2; Circus 3.

MEINDERS, CYNTHIA
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; Bible Club 2, 3; Circus 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 3; A Cappella Choir 4; F. N. A. 4, V. Pres. 4.

MEREDITH, THOMAS
Football 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 1, 2, 3, 4.

MERRICK, LAWRENCE
Bowling 1; Football Manager 3; Wrestling 3, 4; Circus 3, 4; Varsity W 3, 4; Projection Club 4.

MICKENS, GENE
Science Club 2; Circus 3; Projection Club 1; Choir 1; V. I. C. 3, 4.

MILLER, JOYCE
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 2, 3; Bowling 4.

MILLER, KENNETH

MOLIK, PHILLIP
Football 2, 4; Circus 3, 4; Spanish Club 3, 4, V. Pres. 4.

MOON, GEORGENE
Y-Teens 1, 2; Circus 3; Glee Club 4.

MROZINSKI, CAROL
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Int. Rel. 4; Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Oracle Staff 4; Quill & Scroll 4.

MURNEN, WILLIAM
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4; Circus 3.

NELSON, JEANNE
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3; Bowling 3, 4; Glee Club 1; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3; F. N. A. 4.

NICELY, MARILYN
G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; Science Club 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4.

OBERLE, BONNIE

ORDE, HELEN
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Masque & Gavel 3; Jr. Play; Oracle Staff 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2; Sr. Play.

OTTO, LLOYD
Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity W 3, 4; Student Council 4; Jr. Play; Oracle Staff 4; Sr. Play; Quill & Scroll 4.

OVERHULSE, DIANNE
Ida, Mich.: G. A. A. 2; Y-Teens 1, 4; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Library Council 3; Dramatics Club 2; Jr. Play.

PEEPS, RONALD
Baseball 3, 4; Projection Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 4.

PELTON, DAVID
Basketball 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3; Track 2, 3; Varsity W 3, 4.

PETZ, MARGARET
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4.

PLOCK, RACHEL
Glee Club 1, 2; Circus 3; A Cappella Choir 3, 4.

PLONTZ, ROBERT

PLUMB, CAROLINE
Glee Club 1, 2; Bible Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

PRENTICE, BARBARA
Holland High School: G. A. A. 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; Jr. Play.

PRENTICE, PATRICIA
G. A. A. 3; Band 1, 2, 3; Circus 2, 3, 4.

PUTERBAUGH, DARYL
F. T. A. 3, 4; Choir 1; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Bible Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

QUICK, BEVERLY
G. A. A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3; Science Club 2; Jr. Play; Glee Club 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Sr. Play.

RANKIN, PATRICIA
Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4; Science Club 1; Glee Club 1; Cheerleader 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Int. Rel. 4; Jr. Play; Sr. Play; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Flying W Staff 4; Masque & Gavel 4; G. A. A. 2, 3; Class Pres. 2.

RAPP, KATHERYN
G. A. A. 2, 3; Circus 2, 3, 4; Flying W Staff 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4, Pres. 4; Glee Club 1; Y-Teens 1, 2; Biology Club 1.

RAY EDWARD
Basketball 1; Baseball 3, 4; Football Manager 3; Circus 3, 4.

REGER, LOUISE
Circus 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; F. T. A. 4, Sec. 4; Sr. Play.

REGNIER, LEWIS
Wrestling 2, 4; Football 4; Basketball 1; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; Science Club 2, 3; Projection Club 2; Circus 3, 4; Band 1.

RICHARDS, JUDY
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Flying W Staff 4; Bowling 2, 3; Jr. Play; Sr. Play; Cheerleader 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4.

RIDEOUT, JOHN
Int. Rel. 3, 4; Band 4.

RIGGS, EUGENE
Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Masque & Gavel 3; Bowling 1; Circus 3.

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

RITZENTHALER, DONNA
Majorette 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; Circus 3; Band 2, 3, 4.

ROBARGE, JOANNE
Circus 2, 3; Y-Teens 3.

ROBINSON, DONNA
Circus 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 4.

ROCH von ROCHSBURG, WALT
Golf 2, 3, 4; Flying W Staff 4; Bowling 1, 4; Circus 2; Jr. Play; Quill & Scroll 4.

RULE, LOUISE
Science Club 1; Library Council 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3, 4; F. T. A. 3, 4, Pres. 4; Honor Society 3, 4, Treas. 4.

SCHICK, BARBARA

SCHIFFER, JACQUELYN
Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4.

SCHMIDLIN, MARILYNN
A Cappella Choir 4; Glee Club 3; Y-Teens 3, 4; Int. Rel. 4; Circus 3, 4.

SCHULTZ, JOANNE
Glee Club 1, 2; F. H. A. 4.

SCHULTZ, RUSSELL
Football 3, 4; Wrestling 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; V. I. C. 3, 4, Sgt.-at-Arms 4; Hi-Y 4.

SCHUTT, RICHARD
Hi-Y 1, 2.

SEMLER, MYRNA
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4.

SHINABERY, GERRY
G. A. A. 2, 3; Bowling 1; Y-Teens 1, 2, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4, Treas. 4; Circus 2, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 4.

SHIPMAN, MARILYN
Y-Teens 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; G. A. A. 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Bowling 1, 2, 3; Masque & Gavel 3.

SHOOK, THOMAS
Scott High School: Football 2.

SHOOK, WILLIAM
Basketball Manager 3; Science Club 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 1; Library Council 2, 3.

SHOWALTER, MARY
Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4.

SLOAN, PATRICK
Basketball Manager 3; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Int. Rel. 3, 4; Choir 1; Oracle Staff 3, 4; Circus 4.

SMITH, CATHERINE
G. A. A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 2; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Circus 2, 3.

SMITH, JOHN
Varsity W 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 2, 3; Flying W Staff 3; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Baseball Manager 3.

SMITH, NATALIE
G. A. A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. 3, 4, V. Pres. 4; Bowling 2, 3; Class Treas. 2; Circus 2, 3, 4.

SPLITTGERBER, JOYCE
G. A. A. 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 3, 4; Circus 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 4.

STAHL, SHARON
G. A. A. 2, 3; Student Council 1; Bowling 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play; F. T. A. 4, Treas. 4; Class Sec. 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4.

TATTERSALL, WILLIAM
Basketball 1; Football 1; Baseball 3, 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 4.

THOMPSON, NORMA
Scott High School: Scott Pipers 1; A Cappella Choir 2, 3, 4; Zets 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 4; Int. Rel. 4.

THOMPSON, SHARON
Bible Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 3, 4; G. A. A. 3, 4; Circus 3; Glee Club 1.

TURNER, DAVID
Basketball 1, 2; Football 4; Track 3, 4; Wrestling 4; Varsity W 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir 4; Circus 4; Oracle Staff 4; Sr. Play.

TURNER, CLAIR
Baseball 3, 4; F. T. A. 4; Projection Club 4.

TYNEFIELD, JO ANN
G. A. A. 2, 3; Bowling 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Quill & Scroll 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4, Treas. 4; Flying W Staff 4; Circus 2; Jr. Play; Sr. Play.

UPP, NANCY
G. A. A. 2, 3; Circus 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4, Sec. 4; F. H. A. 2, 3, 4; Bowling 1, 2.

WAGER, JERRY
Wrestling 2, 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Varsity W 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 2, 3, 4.

WAITE, SHARON
G. A. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 3; F. H. A. 3; Circus 3.

WALLACE, MILDRED
G. A. A. 3; Circus 3, 4; Y-Teens 2, 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; A Cappella Choir 4; Oracle Staff 4.

WARNER, DONALD
Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Circus 3, 4; Varsity W 3, 4.

WECHSEL, GERALDINE
G. A. A. 1, 2, 3; F. H. A. 2; Circus 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 3, 4.

WEGENER, CAROL
G. A. A. 2, 3; Circus 2, 3, 4; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3, 4; Bowling 1, 2.

WESTRUP, JOYCE
G. A. A. 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; F. H. A. 2, 3; Y-Teens 1, 2, 3; F. T. A. 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4.

WHITE, MARILYN
G. A. A. 3; Circus 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Y-Teens 2, 3.

WHITENBURG, CLIFFORD
Baseball 3, 4, Manager 1, 2; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3; Circus 2, 3; Flying W Staff 4; Library Council 4.

WHITNEY, CAROL
Cheerleader 3; Y-Teens 2, 3, 4, Chaplin 4; Science Club 1; Oracle Staff 4; A Cappella Choir 3, 4; Circus 2, 3, 4; Jr. Play; Sr. Play; Quill & Scroll 4; Glee Club 1, 2.

WHITT, DONALD
V. I. C. 3, 4.

WILSON, RON
Wrestling 1, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3; Student Council 1; Bowling 1, 2; Jr. Play 1, 3; Sr. Play; Track 4.

ZIEGLER, PATT
G. A. A. 1, 2; Y-Teens 1, 3; Bowling 2; Spanish Club 3; Int. Rel. 4; Circus 2, 3; Glee Club 3.

ZIEMS, DAVID
Band 1, 2, 3, 4, Pres. 4; Circus 3.

ZINK, JAMES
Football 2; Wrestling 1, 2, 3, 4; V. I. C. 3, 4, Sec. 4; Hi-Y 1, 2, 3, 4; Varsity W 2, 3, 4.





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